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This warmly expressed regret fell from the lips of an elderly pleasure tourist, last August, and was addressed to a semicircle of commercial travellers seated on the porch of the Lindell Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

"Yes," responded a New York representative of the profession, "a drummer isn't without his pleasures, but he runs his risks, too—risks outside the chances of railroad collisions and steamboat explosions."

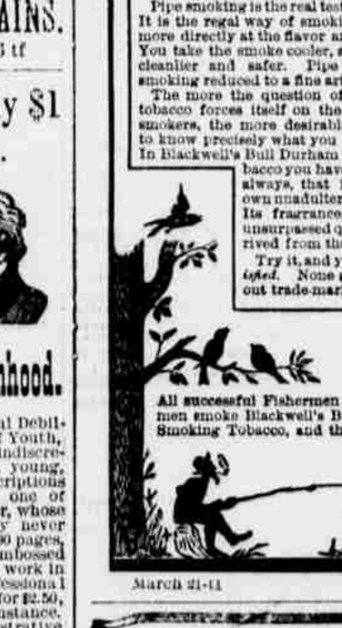
"What risks for instance?"

"This, for instance," said Mr. W. D. Franklin, who was then traveling for an Eastern house, and is known to merchants in all parts of the country: "The risk—which indeed amounts almost to a certainty—of getting the dyspepsia from perpetual change of diet and water and from having no fixed hours for sleeping. I myself was an example. I say *was*, for I am all right now."

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May 23-4w d

SELECT POETRY.

WHY GIRLS WILL WED.

BY LILLIE BARR.

She rose at the early daybreak,
With a sick and aching head,
And she said—this cross little woman—
"I wonder why girls will wed!
They wouldn't, I am sure, if they reckoned
The things that a wife must bear;
They never done work of a household,
They never done Mother care."

"Six dozen pieces to wash to-day,
And the children must go to school,
And every one knows on washing days
Baby is cross as a rule;
And Bridget is new to the work yet,
(Oh, dear, how my head does ache!)
Yet, I shall have the dinner to cook
And all of the beds to make."

But as soon as breakfast was ready,
Father came in from the yard;
He kissed the sick little mother,
"Was sure that her work was hard."
He said to the noisy boys "Be still!
Your mother's not well to-day;"
And when he bid her "good-by,"
He "could kiss the pain away."

And the coffee or kiss—which was it?—
Healed liked a magical charm,
The spirit of diligent gladness
Was everywhere on the farm.
The father worked hard at the plowing,
The mother forgot her pain,
Bridget did well with her washing,
There wasn't a drop of rain.

The baking and cleaning were over
When the boys came home from school,
Baby forgot it was washing day,
And pleasantry broke his rule;
And at night the house was clear and bright—
There was not a thing amiss;
"Tis only a wife," the father thought,
"Would do as much for a kiss."

And the wife, sitting down in the fire-light,
The baby asleep at her side,
Her husband chatting and watching her
With a husband's loving pride,
Thought much of her full and pleasant home,
Of her children asleep in bed;
And said with a sweet contented laugh,
"No wonder that girls will wed!"

SELECT STORY.

THE DIAMOND RING.

Like a drop of dew it sparkled on Cora Vane's slender forefinger, catching the slanting reflection of the afternoon sunshine, as if every sunbeam loved to linger within the crystal-hearted jewel, as the young girl sat there, her fair head drooping like a lily bell and the lashes hanging low over her flushed cheeks.

Cora Vane was very pretty, with a delicate, retiring lovelines that you needed to study before you fairly appreciate it. Her hair was brown and lustrous, like the shining husk of an October chestnut, and the deep, hazel eyes that exactly matched them in color, were almond-shaped, and full of limped changing lights. And yet, with all these gifts of nature, Cora Vane had never discovered that she was a beauty.

"It's so strange that he loves me!" thought Cora, her scarlet lips half apart, and the sweetest dreamlike shadow of a smile hovering about her mouth. "He, so wealthy, so high-born, so courted in aristocratic circles, where poor little I have never been admitted. I should almost fancy the whole thing to be a dream, if it were not for this precious stone sparkling on my finger!"

And then Cora Vane leaned her cheek on her hand, and drifted off once more into the delicious reveries that come to those who have set foot within the mystic temple of love!

It did seem not unlike the phantasmal outlines of a dream, when one came to look at it from a sober, every-day point of view. Here she was, a little, hardworking daily governess, earning a modest livelihood by constant toil—how could it be that Alban Carlesford, the courted favorite of fortune and fashion, should have learned to love her—should have won her to promise to be his wife. And she had told him so frankly and freely, the story of her humble life, even to the brief, strange episode of Bruce Wayne's love and proposals.

"Bruce Wayne!" Mr. Carlesford had repeated. "You do not mean the Bruce Wayne who was in the Seventh regiment at one time? Why, I knew him well."

"Yes," said Cora blushing, "it was Captain Wayne. He said he loved me, but he was so fierce and passionate that I was afraid of him. Oh, Alban, I never could have felt toward him as I did to you!"

And Mr. Carlesford forgot the incipient pang of jealousy which had already entered his heart concerning this same handsome reckless young captain, Bruce Wayne, and felt happy in the undoubted certainty that Cora was all his own.

Cora Vane was secretly thinking of all these things the next day, as she sat by little Bessie Malden's piano, counting time for the child's unused fingers as they strayed regularly over the ivory keys, for Cora had insisted on duly fulfilling all her engagements for the quarter before she would consent to fix the marriage day, when the school-room door opened and Captain Wayne lounged idly in.

"Bessie" he said to his little niece, "run and get my gold eye glass, that's a little gem of a girl. They're in the parlor or under my dressing table or in your mamma's work-basket or somewhere!"

And Bessie glad to be released from the thraldom of the pianoforte, slipped down from her seat, and trotted merrily away.

Bruce Wayne sat down beside the daily governess, with a darkening look of care upon his brow.

"Cora," he said most fiercely, "I am in trouble, and there is no one to help me—save you."

"Help you? Captain Wayne, what can you mean?

"Cora I must have $100 between this and sundown, or I shall be a ruined disgraced man. I can't tell you how it has happened—you need not look so inquiringly. Moreover, it is but a temporary need—my allowance comes in to-morrow; but you see how it is—to-day is the period of necessity."

"But," faltered Cora, turning white and red. "Your borother-in-law Mr. Malden—"

"He will not listen to a word—He says—and I cannot blame him much—that he is tired of lending to me, and my sister is just as bad!"

"Surely your friends——"

He contemplated her with a mocking laugh.

"I have no friends! Yes, you may look amazed, Cora, but it is the melancholy truth. Sometimes," he added, with bitter emphasis, "it seems to me that it would be better to end the whole farce of life at once."

"Captain Wayne, you don't mean——"

"I do, Cora. Nothing has gone right with me in this world, and I swear to you, before high heaven, that unless I can somewhere raise the money to-day, I will blow my brains out."

His eyes glittered with a fierce light, and a deadly whiteness came round his lips and brows.

"But Captain Wayne, how can I help you? I have no money."

He sneered bitterly.

"It is easy for you to say no, with that jewel sparkling on your forefinger; but I understand—you are like all the rest of them and turn coldly away from the poor, forsaken outcast."

"Oh, Captain Wayne," sobbed the poor, tender-hearted little Cora, "what can I do? How can I——"

"It is but for one day, Cora. I solemnly swear to you that by this time to-morrow you shall have the money. I will go with you to the jeweler's. He will advance the money on this ring to meet all my present demands. Cora, will you save a fallen fellow-creature's soul by, one day's sacrifice of your vanity, or will you drive me to a suicide's grave?"

"But, Captain Wayne——"

Cora turned pale and scarlet, and hesitated; how could she tell him, her rejected lover of the past, that the diamond was the betrothal gift of Alban Carlesford?

"It is enough," he said huskily, turning away, as little Bessie's footstep sounded in the hall; "I have asked, and I have asked in vain. The offense never shall be repeated."

Cora sprang to his side, pale and eager. When a human soul trembled in the balance, how could she stop to weigh the pros and cons of orthodox etiquette?

"Take it," she murmured, drawing off the ring which Alban Carlesford had placed on her finger; "but remember, it is but for to day."

His murmured blessing scarcely reached her ear, so bewildered was she with the conflict of emotions within her heart; and the next moment she was alone in the room, and Bessie's tiny hand upon the door-knob.

"Where is Uncle Bruce?" lisped the child; "I couldn't anywhere find his eye-glass, and mamma said it was hanging on his watch ribbon."

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Messrs. Stone & Sparkle's elegant emporium of jewelry was crowded as Mr. Carlesford sauntered down the marble-paved room, but Mr. Sparkle himself came eagerly forward to meet the new customer.

"What can we do for you sir?" questioned Mr. Sparkle, rubbing his plump white hands smilingly together.

"Emerland, sir? Certainly. Please to step this way. There is a very choice set just sent in—old Mrs. Balaplan's sir, that used to be—setting a little old-fashioned, to be sure, but the stones much choicer than you see nowadays. We could reset them for $60, and—"

Mr. Sparkle opened a little private drawer as he spoke—a special sanctum where he kept choice jewels, rare cameos, and priceless antiques. As he sought about for the emeralds, Mr. Carlesford's eye was caught by the glitter of a large soltaire diamond, set round with tiny seed pearls.

"Why!" he ejaculated, "that's the very ring!"

"That we sold you last week. Exactly so," chimes in Mr. Sparkle. "It is here only on deposit to raise a little money temporarily. We are often called on in that way."

Alban Carlesford's brow had grown very dark.

"Who brought it here?'

"Well, really, sir we don't usually—"

"I insist upon knowing!" thundered the young man, furiously.

"But to you, sir, in confidence, I don't mind mentioning it," hurried on the terrified Mr. Sparkle. "It was Captain Bruce Wayne."

"Bruce Wayne!"

Mr. Carlesford stood silent for a minute or two, while every feature of his face seemed to settle and grow rigid as if it had been carved in marble.

"Thank you! that will do. I will not look at the emeralds this afternoon."

What a storm of contending passion shook Alban Carlesford's breast as he walked along with mechanical footstep scarcely looking whither he went.

Deceived, slighted, betrayed, his very betrothal gifts gone to swell the rapacious purse of a mere spendthrift like Bruce Wayne!

"I have been a fool—a lovesick fool!" he muttered between his clenched teeth, "and I am fittingly repaid!"

When Cora Vane returned from her day's round of music lessons weary yet happy (for had not the consciousness of a good man's love gone with her on her tedious way?) she found a note lying on the table, a note directed in Alban Carlesford's hand.

She took it up and broke the seal with a soft crimson glowing over her face; but as her eyes glanced over the contents a deadly hue usurped the deadly carmine. It read thus:

"MISS VANE; I return your troth. Captain Wayne is welcome to the diamond ring, as well as your heart. I want no second-hand affection! "A.C."

As she stood there pale and startled a knock came to the door. It was repeated; and then the door was opened as in despair of an answer and Bruce Wayne stood there eager and smiling.

"I have brought you your ring, Cora, and it has saved me. May Heaven bless you as truly as I shall ever do!"

"It's too late," said Cora, in a strange, hard sort of voice. "Read that!"

Bruce Wayne glanced over the note.

"Cora," he said earnestly, "this must not be. No fatal mistake such as this must undermine the happiness of two lives—and through my fault, too. I will see him myself."

"It will be of no use," said Cora; "he is as stern as a rock in this matter. He will see no one.' At least that was the answer brought to the door by his servant.

"I must see him," said Bruce Wayne; "stand aside, my man!"

And he pushed his determined way directly into Alban Carlesford's presence.

"Captain Wayne!"

But Bruce was not to be disheartened by the frigid sarcasm of the voice.

"Carlesford!" he cried, "you must listen to me while I tell you what a true and noble-hearted girl you have won."

And he told the whole story of the diamond ring.

"It was to save me from a self-inflicted death, not from any personal feeling, that she intrusted the ring to me for one single day. Carlesford, she is a gem of the purest ray, and although she may never shine for me, I can but render my humble tribute to her noblenature. That was a cruel letter which you wrote to-day. Go, and contradict it in person; but first shake hands withme, as a sign that you have forgiven my folly and rashness."

Carlesford pressed Wayne's hand so fervently that he absolutely winced with pain, and hurried away without a single word.

"Cora, my darling—my treasure!"

She sat alone with her head drooping on her hands, while his tender voice thrilled the silence.

"Oh, Alban! you never could have meant it—what you wrote in that harsh little note."

He folded her tenderly to his heart.

"I think I was mad for the moment, dearest. Oh, Cora, how near I came to the shipwreck of all my happiness!"

But the guardian saint of all true lovers had watched over them in the hour of peril, and the golden chain of affection glowed brighter than ever.

Nor was it the least of Cora's happiness when she was Alban Carlesford's dearly loved wife, that Bruce Wayne was dating a new and better life from the day when the diamond ring stood between him and a suicide's death.

The Talking Dog.

It was in a Market street restaurant. A solemn man entered, followed by his dog, seated himself, and asked for the bill of fare. It was given him.

"What would you like to have, sir?" asked the waiter, flipping the table with his napkin.

The dog meanwhile had climbed upon the chair on the other side of the table, and was gravely regarding his master.

"Well," said the solemn man, reflectively, "gimme two fried eggs, turned over."

"Gimme the same said the dog.

The waiter gazed at the animal with amazement mingled with horror. The solemn man continued:

"Then I guess you can gimme a sirloin steak, very rare, with fried potatoes."

"Gimme the same said the dog.

The waiter's face assumed the color of cold boiled veal.

"Cup o' coffee, plenty o' milk," went on the solemn man.

"Gimme the same," said the dog.

The waiter shuddered, and, turning, fled for the kitchen.

A man with a squint, at an adjoining table, was much interested in the scene. He had observed it closely, and finally spoke to the solemn man:

"It must 'a' been a fearful lot o' work to learn that dog to talk, mister."

"It was," said the solemn man.

"I should smile," said the dog.

"What 'ud you take for him, now?" said the man with a squint.

"Wouldn't sell him," said the solemn man.

"You'd better not," said the dog.

The man with the squint was much impressed. He began making wild offers, and when he reached a thousand dollars the solemn man relented.

"Well," said he, "I can't refuse that. I hate to part with him, but you can have him."

"He'll be sorry for it," said the dog.

The man with a squint drew a check for the amount, which he gave to the solemn man. The latter was about leaving when the dog cried out:

"Never mind—I'll get even. I'll never speak again."

He never did.

The gentleman with the squint was proprietor of a Dime and Freak museum on Market street.

The solemn man was a ventriloquial crook.—*San Francisco Argonaut.*

A Bishop's Strange Story.

Bishop Thomas Bowman, of the Methodist church, who is next in seniority in the Episcopal College to Bishop Simpson, although having no faith in spiritualism, relates the following singular circumstances, without, however, offering any comment upon the facts: On his recent tour to the East he returned home by the way of the Red Sea. Before embarking he received a letter giving him encouraging news of the condition of his wife, who had been very ill. After a Sunday service on board of the boat, as the vessel steamed through the Red Sea, he went to his room, and as the shades of night began to gather, he prepared to retire, and was about to offer up a prayer for his sick wife, when he suddenly found that he could not utter a word and that his mind had become blank. Thinking that this was an attack of nervousness, he walked across the room to compose himself, after which he again attempted to pray for the complete recovery of his wife, but was affected as before. The conviction then came to him that his wife was dead. Three weeks afterward he reached Rome, and there found a message awaiting him announcing the death of his wife on the evening of the day on which he was vainly attempting to pray for her recovery. The bishop also says that his daughter, who was at Paris when her mother died, also received a singular presentiment of the same character.

This was not the only apparently supernatural thing that has occurred to Bishop Bowman. A few years ago, he says, during an attack of sickness, it appeared to him that he was transported to a spirit land, where he held conversations with friends long since dead, and he feels disposed to claim that he had been for a time in an unseen world. In reciting these facts Bishop Bowman does not propose to make any deductions in favor of what is known as modern spiritualism; he simply presents them as remarkable and to him inexplicable phenomena.

Of Powell Clayton's missing arm a New York *Sun* dispatch says: "A Star route delegate told the convention that he had lost it in the war. 'That's not so,' remarked a spectator. 'He lost it by an accident. Some gentleman carelessly let a fox trap in a smoke house."

How one Small Boy Passed Away.

A pale pinched face—a piping voice—a little body which seemed to be all bones and and angles. Many a smile his odd dress provoked. His coat had once belonged to a full grown man, while his pantaloons could not have been patched any more without sewing patch upon patch.

Who was he?

Ah! did you ever ask the question? Certainly not. You have no curiosity to know one street gamin from another.

How did he live?

You never inquired. Odds was the difference to you whether he had a full meal or went supperless to bed. Had it been the case of a well dressed man a stranger to you, you would have asked how many thousand he was worth, and where he was to buy or build.

Well?

Well, that boy is dead. He broke down on the street the other day, burning up with the fever, and they took him to the hospital to die. There they saw how poor in flesh he was—they found the bruises inflicted upon him by rough boys—they washed his bleeding feet and wondered how he could have walked a single square. It was too late. They shed tears as they wiped his own away and they answered his ravings with kind words, but friends had come too late.

And what?

In his ravings he accused you and me of selfishness, of hard-heartedness—of mock philanthrophy—aye, of worse. We would have taken the part of the weaker dog, but we let that orphan lad take the blows of the world. We saw that our horses were well fed, but we let that boy go hungry. We made a great show in the papers of contributing to orphan asylums, and yet we have nothing for this tender lad. In his delerium he cried out that we had given him no chance. We threw nickles and dimes to base imposters, but we had not even a penny for a boy whose poverty compelled him to sleep in the alleys.

"Guilty!"

So plead all! Ere this he has told his story in Heaven, and on the pages of the angel's book has been written against each and everyone of us; "Accessory to the death of Charlie Hall, who was brought to the grave by the brutal neglect of citizens boasting of their philanthropy and open-hearted charity."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Bob Gave Her a Cruel Shock.

Dressed for church, she stood before the mirror admiring herself, and mentally observed that she had never appeared more lovely. The candid critic, however, would have declared that her figure was not in just proportion, for she was very tall and thin and her height seemed greater than it actually was in consequence of a bunch of ostrich plumes that floated in snowy masses over her hat.

"Yes, I know I am handsome," she said, "but I can't help it;" and, turning to go out, caught sight of her little brother standing in the doorway.

"What are you doing there Bob?" she asked sharply.

"Looking at you, Fanny," returned the artless child.

"What do you want to be staring at me for?"

"'Cause you look just like a long handled feather duster."

And sitting alone in church that morning she wondered how she would feel if Bob got the measles and died.—[*Brooklyn Eagle.*

A Wonderful Dream.

The following account of a remarkable dream we take from the *Genius of Liberty* published in Fayette county, this state:

"Albert Clemmer, son of Samuel Clemmer of Redstone township, Fayette county aged 13 years, about 2 years ago began complaining of an ailment in the back. Upon examination by physicians his trouble proved to be "lateral curvature of the spine." His right hip joint was drawn out of socket, and his right foot was drawn up against his thigh backwards. His left leg was paralized from the knee down, and his head was drawn down between his knees. The sight of his left eye obliterated and his right eye was rapidly failing. About 10 days ago, he dreamed he was in Pittsburgh where he received a prescription of concentrated botanic remedies which would cure him in two days if properly administered. The directions were that he should make an ointment of the herbs mentioned and apply them to his back for one day. He did so. The second day, another round his chest which was to remain an hour, and at 5 p. m., he was to be restored to health. He followed the directions of the dream to the letter. At the appointed time, light came into his sightless eyes, his curved spine and leg straightened and he was completely restored. Five minutes after 5 p. m., he got up and walked, and to-day he is lively and active. If this little story seems incredible to any of our readers, let them call upon the restored boy and his neighbors and they will verify it."

A Dangerous American Tendency.

A Darwinnian Cambridge professor sends us the following: "There is one practice of the Yankees which threatens to develop a most undesirable characteristic. It is the habit of yawning. Apparently it is rather more affected by people of the cities, especially by females and the more talkative of the males. Unfortunately it is not at all confined to them. Naturally enough motionless jaws become tiresome to persons who ordinarily keep them moving. It is amusing to watch an individual exercise his hyoid apparatus like an asphyxiating fish while the person opposite involuntary—so sympathetic we are—gapes like a boa constrictor, and is imitated by another and another down the car or through the audience. But there is a serious aspect to the case. By the laws of use and heredity we are abnormally developing the muscles which open the mouth. If this is allowed to go on, by and by great development of the mouth openers will become characteristic of the American. There are altogether too many people in this country at present who have great difficulty in keeping their mouth shut.—*Boston Transcript.*

Women as Fiction-Writers.

All the women who have attained eminent success in literature have been either poets or novelists. Indeed, it is only as writers of fiction that women may be said to have reached to the higher ranks. This may prove that they will yet add some new and fresher element to the expression of sentiment in literature, and that they will more perfectly develop the sympathetic side of life. Unless Fielding and Scott are to be excepted, no novelists have surpassed, in genius and creative attainment, the women who have written under the names of George Sand and George Eliot. In one of her essays George Eliot has written of the work done by women as novelists; and she claims that this is a literary field especially adapted to their genius. "Happily," she said, "we are not dependent on argument to prove that fiction is a department of literature in which women can, after their kind, fully equal men. A cluster of great names, both living and dead, rush to our memories in evidence that women can produce novels not only fine, but among the very finest; novels, too, that have a precious specialty, lying quite apart from masculine aptitudes and experience."

Women have become the literary interpreters of the heart, of that half of human existence which is most their own. They give the feminine point of view, which is absolutely necessary to our knowing of life in its widest meaning. That must be a very great gain, and the literature of the last hundred years alone can help us to realize what it is likely to be in time. Who can doubt that women have largely aided in the development of the purer, fresher, and more sympathetic literature of the last century and a half? Who can but feel that the names of Jane Austen, Harriet Martineau, Mrs. Browning, Charlotte Bronte and George Eliot have made a great addition to English literature? They have enriched it in a way it has been by no school of masculine writers since the days of Elizabeth. It may be that, judged by intellectual or artistic standards, their work has not been of the very highest; but in their play on the heart-forces of life they surpass any equal number of men.—*Rev. G. W. Cooke in Christian Leader.*

Gen. Lee Declines to Sell His Fame.

Gen. Lee, at the close of the war, received innumerable offers to engage in commercial enterprises. Insurance companies, railroads, and many large corporations at the South were anxious to pay him any salary he might demand solely for the use of his name, without any labor on his part, or the incurring of any responsibility whatever. A committee of Englishmen, with the Duke of Sutherland and Mr. Beresford Hope at the head, offered him in a fee a splendid estate in one of the midland counties of England, coupled with a guarantee of an income of £5,000 a year as long as he lived. He gratefully declined all of these offers, and accepted the Presidency of Washington and Lee University at a salary of $3,000 a year. Here he earned his living as the hardest worker in a hard-working faculty in training the youth of the country up to the very hour of the paralytic stroke which immediately preceded his death.

Gen. Lee left three sons. They, too, received many offers of a similar kind, and declined them. Two of these sons are now prosperous planters in Virginia. The third succeeded his father in the Presidency of Washington and Lee University, and has filled the position with credit for the last thirteen years.

The true American spirit shines in Gen. Lee's example, the spirit which prompted Washington and his Generals when they retired from the public service enriched only with the recollection of their great achievements, and scorning to make merchandise of their fame.

Anecdotes Showing That Royalty is Not at All What it is Cracked Up to Be.

That her Majesty Queen Augusta should be sometimes irritable is not unnatural, and it is well known that her household stands in fear of such outbursts. I was reminded of this in passing the Imperial palace just before the Empress left town. She was being carried up the steps from her carriage in a chair. One of the servants stumbled, but regained his equlibrium immediately. This was a shock to her Majesty's nerves which only speech could allay, and she talked right along until the door closed on them and shut off the eloquence of her wrath. There are a great many incidents told by the gossips of her Majesty's haughtiness when she was in health. The late Count Redern, then a young man, chose a wife from the family of a millionaire merchant at Hamburg and duly presented his bride at court. Those familiar with social distinctions in Germany will know that such a step involves mortification to the lady so situated. But in the newly-made countesses' case the severest thrust came from the Empress Augusta, who asked abruptly in the presence of many others: "Countess, in what business did your father deal?"

The Countess drew herself up proudly, looked the Empress strait in the eye and replied: "Your Majesty, during his entire life my father has dealt with reason and judgment."

As soon as etiquette would allow the Countess quitted the palace, but the Empress had learned a lesson. Thereafter she treated the merchant's daughter with marked courtesy and, indeed showed greater respect to those similarly situated.—*Berlin Letter in the St. Louis Globe Democrat.*

A MEAN REVENGE.—'So you say you got even with Mrs. Jones when she tried to spite you by wearing a handsomer dress than yours at your wedding anniversary and attracting all the attention?'

'Oh, yes, I got even with her.'

'How did you manage it?'

'Well, you see, she had her little boy with her, and when she took him on her lap I peeled an orange and gave it to him when she was looking the other way.'

'And of course he was soon swimming in the juice and the dress was ruined.'

'Precisely.'

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Bishop P. J. Ryan of St. Louis has been appointed Archbishop of Philadelphia by the Pope. It is said to be a wise and highly satisfactory selection.

Samuel J. Tilden has written a letter in which he claims the right to retire from public life. It is couched in such terms as to make it almost certain that he will not accept a nomination for President.

The New York *Sun* says that Tilden is out of the race as a Presidential candidate, as he will not accept, and after a discussion of the qualifications and availability of several other prominent men, finally concludes that Senator Bayard of Delaware is the strongest candidate the Democrats can name.

The republican party has nominated its most brilliant and most valuable member for President of the United States. With all the doubtful points in his record against him he has proved so strong with his party that no consideration of prudence could avail against his determination of climbing to the Presidency if republican votes could put him there. Every idea of fear of the people's good judgment was cast aside that the fiery Blaine should have his way. Here is magnetism indeed. He has the shout to-day; will he have the vote in November? Can he carry New York against Tilden or even Cleveland? It is extremely doubtful. The great chance of the democratic party has arrived.—*Boston Journal.*

Harper's *Weekly*, the Boston *Advertiser*, Springfield (Mass.) *Republican*, Worcester (Mass.) *Spy*, New York *Times*, New York *Evening Post* and Brooklyn *Union* are among the prominent republican journals which have announced their hostility to Blaine. These papers supported every republican candidate from Fremont to Garfield.

The independent journals of note which opposed the election of Blaine are the Boston *Herald*, New Haven *News*, New York *Herald*, New York *Morning Journal*, New York *Truth*, New York *Staats Zeitung*, *Puck*, Philadelphia *Record*, Philadelphia *Times* and Chicago *Times*. Other independent journals deplore the action of the republican convention in making him the nominee.

The Coming Issue.

Tariff for revenue sufficient to meet the obligations of an economic administration. That will be the doctrine of the democracy in the impending campaign. Tariff to build up monopolies and swell the surplus in the treasury and oppress a tax-ridden people. That will be the republican doctrine. They have put it in their platform. The people will decide which they will have.—*Kansas City Times.*

Bolting the Ticket.

The movement for independent political action against Mr. Blaine has taken organized form in Boston at the meeting of the Massachusetts Reform Club last Saturday. The attendance was large. Among those present were James Freeman Clarke, John C. Dodge, Gen. G. D. Ayers, Richard Henry Dana, J. Russell Reed, and many other prominent men.

After dinner the secretary of the club, Mr. J. W. Carter, read a number of letters. Among them was one from Charles Francis Adams, jr., regretting his inability to be present.

When the situation had been discussed at length the club put its sentiments into deeds by unanimously adopting the following declaration of principles:

The Massachusetts Reform Club regard the nomination of Messrs. Blaine and Logan by the republican party as a distinct and unqualified repudiation of all its professions of reform, and as an insult to the conscience of the country. The members of the club will under no circumstances support them.

It was resolved that the independent voters throughout the country be requested to join with the members of the club in active and immediate efforts to secure the nomination by the democratic party of such men as can command the support of the independents, and that failing such nomination of independent men, without distinction of party, a convention be called at the earliest practicable day to nominate candidates in full sympathy with the reform sentiment of the country.

A committee was appointed with full power to take such steps by correspondence or otherwise, as may be deemed best calculated to carry into effect the foregoing votes. The committee is authorized to increase its numbers if desired, and to co-operate with organizations of independent republicans and others to secure candidates pledged to reform.

On motion of Col. T. W. Higginson, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That the foregoing committee be instructed to call a meeting in Boston at as early a day as possible to express the opinion of independent voters in this vicinity in regard to the Chicago nominations, and to prepare for future action.

Telegrams were received from leading New York independents requesting an early consultation on decisive action toward repudiating the Chicago nomination, and looking to such further steps as may be deemed necessary.

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

BLAINE AND LOGAN NOMINATED.

The National Republican Convention completed its labors last Friday by the nomination of James G. Blaine of Maine for President, and John A. Logan of Illinois for Vice-President. Blaine was chosen on the 4th ballot, receiving 544 votes, only 410 being necessary to a choice. The news was received with enthusiasm in many places, and while it is generally considered a strong ticket, it will be opposed by some influential elements in the Republican party. The platform, which we publish in full, is a hotchpatch intended to catch the votes of almost every trade, profession, class and condition. It makes the same old promises that have been repeated year after year with fulfillment, and expects the people to be deceived again with its threadbare falsehoods. We give below some press opinions of the platform.

The republican convention might have made a worse platform, for all things are possible under the sun, but we do not see in what way one could have been made much more ridiculous than this. If Mr. McKinley of Ohio, and Mr. Charles Emory Smith, of Pennsylvania, be, as the text of the platform indicates, the authors of this precious document, they are entitled to the credit of producing a more artistically absurd and insincere and senseless hodge-podge than has disgraced any party.—*New York Times, Rep.*

The republican party is a fraud, and the same old platform lies are made to do service again in this year of grace and hope.—*New York Sun, Ind.*

The republican platform reminds us forcibly of the proverbial eagerness of the desire when sick to be a saint. The declarations of the beautiful intentions of the republican party, if returned to power, are delightful to read; or would be if we could forget that it has not availed itself of the abundant opportunities it has had in its long lease of power to do any of these beautiful things. It declares itself in favor of tariff reform, although not for a tariff for revenue only. But the tariff which it confesses should be reformed was its own work a couple of years ago; and what reasonable reliance can it expect the people to have upon its reform efforts in this line, which were so lately futile? Then it is going to retore the public lands which it has squandered, though it has never made an effort in that direction during the many years since these grants have lapsed, and it had a chance to forbid them.—*Lancaster Intelligencer.*

It is just not enough of a protection platform to show that, while in spirit and principle the republican party clings with the same tenacity as ever to the policy of perpetuating the burdens of a war tariff, it dare not squarely meet the issue with which it is aggressively confronted by the national democracy.—*Washington Post.*

The tariff plank will attract attention by reason of its intimation of a new departure in the direction of reform, thus enabling the party to steal a march, as it were upon the democracy, and beat it if it can upon its own ground.—*Baltimore Sun.*

The republican platform is a mass of glittering generalities." Against the clap-trap of republican professions the people can place the lamentable fact of republican practice.—*New York World.*

The Republican platform adopted at Chicago is the most extraordinary combination of meaningless platitude and rank demagogy with which any respectable party ever entered a national campaign. It is like one of those monuments to which everybody contributes a stone of his own designing and the duty of the builders is to cover the whole with such an abundance of stucco as shall as far as possible conceal the weakness and incongruity of the result. A longer and more verbose set of resolutions seldom has been composed; never one that embodied so many direct bids for votes of sections and classes with so little of definite political principle.—*Phila Times.*

Not For Blaine.

A LEADING REPUBLICAN PAPER REFUSES TO SUPPORT HIM.

The New York *Times*, one of the ablest republican dailies of this country, has opposed the nomination of Blaine from the start. Since his nomination it has published the following editorial:

It is best, after all that James G. Blaine should be the candidate of the republican party. His nomination has been urged with earnestness and sincerity by a majority of that party, and the majority must rule in this country even when it is in the wrong. The party now appeals to the country with a candidate who stands for something. He represents the average of republican principles and purposes, of republican honor and conscience as they now are.

We shall not be surprised if some republicans who do not like Mr. Blaine resent with heat this allegation that a man who as Speaker of the House of Representatives bartered his official influence for private gain, who as Secretary of State made the enforcement of a swindling claim against a distressed and perishing sister Republic the most conspicuous feature of his foreign policy, a man who had no part or interest in the work done in the last five years toward the purification of the public service, is a fair type and representative of the party that saved the Union, freed the slave and restored the national credit. But in soberness and truth, good friends, is this not so? Is it not the name of Blaine that really stirs the hearts of the republican masses? Did not his devoted band of adherents, without the aid of the office holders, who in the most States were enlisted under another flag, not only without favor from any department of the government, but against the influence of all, so far as that influence was exerted, led to Chicago an army of delegates larger than that supporting any other candidate? Did not Blaine's name lead on the first ballot, and increase its lead by jumps to the last, when nearly two-thirds of the Convention registered in the Blaine column? If Mr. Blaine is not a fair representative of republican principles and purposes, of republican honor and conscience as they now are, then the republicans of Maine, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Kansas were wilfully betrayed in their primaries, in their District and State convention and at Chicago, and we have nowhere read or heard that republican sentiment in these States, or in any State was stifled or perverted in order to secure Blaine delegates. Nor was Mr. Blaine nominated in ignorance of who and what he was. The party had its eyes open. It has taken this step, not in the dark but in broad daylight.

It is much better, therefore, that Mr. Blaine should be the candidate than that Mr. Arthur's friends should have been successful in their purpose to thrust him on the party against its will. We have clearly seen and plainly said that the great majority of the republicans did not want Mr. Arthur for their candidate. Had he been nominated his defeat would have signified nothing as regards the heart and virtue of the party, nothing as to the favor its principles and present practices find in the eyes of the American people. There will be nothing ambiguous about the defeat of Mr. Blaine. He who runs may clearly read the verdict in advance:—"A candidate unworthy of confidence and a party too careless of its honor to be longer trused with the nations's."

That defeat will be the salvation of the republican party. It will arouse its torpid conscience, it will stir it to self-purification, it will depose the false leaders who have fastened themselves upon it, it will send the rogues to the background and will make the party once more worthy of honor and of power in the Republic it has so nobly served. When the party has passed through the fires of defeat and is well rid of its peccant humors it will come back in the impregnable ground of right it stood on when it beat down treason and disunion, to a position in which it shall embody the highest and best impulses of American life, to a state of heart and mind which shall fit it to be again the custodian of that matchless trust, "government of the people, by the people and for the people."

One word as to the position of the *Times*. It will not support Mr. Blaine for the Presidency. It will advise no man to vote for him, and its reasons for this course are perfectly well understood by everybody that has ever read it. Without the mention of names the course of the *Times* was foreshadowed in its issue of May 29, when it replied to the question of a correspondent in these words:—

If the nominee of the Chicago Republican Convention is a man worthy to be President of the United States the *New York Times* will give him a hearty and vigorous support. If he shall be a man unworthy to hold that great office, a man who, personally and politically, in office or out, represents principles and practices which the *Times* abhors and has counselled its party to shun, we shall watch with great interest the efforts of those responsible for such a nomination to elect their candidate, but we can give them no help.

The interest the *Times* will take in this canvass is that of a friend and physician. It is not with cynical indifference, but with unspeakable sadness, that it sees the republican party perversely set its face in vicious paths, for it has done some service to the party. But with patience and with unfailing hope the *Times* will cheerfully and with sincerity labor to set the party right again, and when it shall have had its new birth to draw to it all that is soundest, best and worthiest in the manhood of this Republic.

Extracts from the Proceedings of Classis.

On Wednesday evening of last week the East Susquehanna Classis convened in the Reformed church of this place. The opening sermon was preached by the retiring president, Rev. A. R. Hottenstine. After divine service, a quorum being present, Classis proceeded to the election of its annual officers, which resulted as follows: president, Rev. T. J. Hacker; stated clerk, O. H. Strunck; corresponding secretary, Rev. T. S. Land. On Thursday morning the chairman announced the various standing committees, and then the reading of the parochial reports was taken up. This occupied mostly the forenoon and afternoon sessions. In these reports the pastors recounted the events, the happenings, the encouragements and discouragements, the retrospect and prospect of their respective charges. The general tenor of these reports indicated a healthy condition of the pastoral charges. The statistical report of Classis for this classical year is as follows: ministers 28, congregations 82, members 8,770, baptisms 974, confirmations 570, on certificate 201, contributions for benevolence $3,186, raised for congregational purposes $31,621.

The business sessions of Friday and Saturday were mostly occupied in hearing the reports of standing committees. The reconstruction of charges seemed somewhat difficult, and elicited considerable discussion. On Friday afternoon the Rev. Dr. Monroe of the M. E. Church occupied the floor of Classis a short time in behalf of a contemplated uniformity in marriage law. In reply, Classis appointed a committee to draw up a preamble and resolutions, which were adopted by action of Classis.

The committee on Beneficiary Education reported two candidates for the ministry. After due examination they were received and placed under the care of Classis.

In one of the parochial reports a request was made that Classis should give a deliverance upon the propriety of holding festivals as a means to raise funds for Sunday school and church purposes; and also upon the propriety of opening our churches for holding secular meetings. In reply to this request the following was offered and adopted:

To the East Susquehanna Classis:

Your committee to whom were referred the items referring to festivals as a means of raising funds for Sabbath school and church purposes, and the opening of our churches to secular meetings would report as follows:

1. *Resolved*, That it is the sense of this Classis that raising money by festivals for Sunday school and church purposes is improper and not in harmony with the true spirit of charity. But if it is deemed necessary or expedient to hold festivals, under no consideration should any game of chance be resorted to.

2. Inasmuch as the church is dedicated to the worship of Divine God and is his sacred dwelling place among his people on earth, therefore *Resolved* that it is the sense of this Classis that the church should not be secularized by gatherings of a purely worldly character; but may be opened to gatherings whose object is closely associated with the cause of Christianity.

Respectfully Submitted,
A. Houtz,
A. M. Masonhimer,
P. Peters,

The election of delegates to the Synod which meets in Trinity Reformed church in Pottstown, on the 8th of October, are as follows: Revs. Strunck, Millet, Houtz, Schaefer and Meckel; Elders Bressler, Eisenhart, Peters, Kelley and Winner.

On Monday morning, it being the order of the day, Father Duenger, who is now in the fiftieth year of his ministry, gave a very interesting and touching reminiscence of his experience in the ministry. This experience was rich as well as checkered. At one moment his narrative provoked laughter, at another it started the sympathetic tear. For forty-five minutes he held the closest attention of his audience.

The evening sessions were devoted to religious services in connection with which a sermon, or address, on some specific church topic was delivered. The attendance upon these services was good, and the discourses highly appreciated. During Sabbath several of the pulpits in town were occupied by ministers attending Classis.

On Monday at noon the Classis adjourned to meet on the first Wednesday before Trinity Sunday 1885 in Christ church, Fayette, Seneca county, N. Y. This is the most remote pastoral charge in this Classis. About the year 1839 Classis met in that place. The brethren concentrated at Williamsport and from there proceeded on horse-back through the partial wilderness. It took them two days to travel the distance. The trip was somewhat romantic, but exceedingly enjoyable. It is proposed that next spring we will not do as our fathers did in this particular, but take the cars.

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CANDIDATES.

All persons whose names are announced as candidates, in this column, are expected to abide by the action of the Democratic county convention, to be held on Tuesday, August 12th 1884.

The price for announcing names in this column is $3.00 for any office, and must be paid positively in advance.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
A. B. CROOP,
OF BRIARCREEK.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
P. A. EVANS,
OF MONTOUR TOWNSHIP.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
G. A. HERRING,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE SEVERAL COURTS
WM. KRICKBAUM
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
W. H. SNYDER,
OF ORANGE.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
C. H. CAMPBELL,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
G. W. STERNER,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
U. H. ENT,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER.
M. F. EYERLY,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
WASHINGTON PARR,
OF FRANKLIN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
STEPHEN POHE
OF CENTRE TOWNSHIP.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
R. A. SHUMAN,
OF CATAWISSA.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
WM. G. GIRTON,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
B. F. EDGAR,
OF FISHINGCREEK.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
DAVID LONG,
OF ROARINGCREEK.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
W. S. FISHER,
OF MAIN.

I will not make a personal canvass of the county to solicit votes, but, if elected, I pledge myself to conduct the office in the best interests of the people.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
G. M LOCKARD,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
WILLIAM BRYSON,
OF CENTRALIA.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
A. L. FRITZ,
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
OF CATAWISSA.

I will not travel the county to solicit votes, but will cheerfully visit all publicly, to discuss the issues before the people, if desired.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
DR. L. J. ADAMS,
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JACOB HONS, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county by agreement of parties, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrator to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Saturday, July 12th 1884, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove their claims or be debarred from any share of said fund.

GEO. E. ELWELL,
Auditor.

June 13

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June 3-4 w r

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

The undersigned appointed assignee of C. B. Brockway, of Bloomsburg Columbia county, Pennsylvania will offer at public sale, at the Court House,

Saturday, June 28th, 1884,

at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following valuable properties, viz:

FIRST.—A three story brick building on Court House alley, near the Court House, and attached to the Brower Building in the rear used for law offices &c., and formerly known as the Columbian Building including the south alley way on the north.

SECOND.—A two and ½ story brick house on third Street adjoining lot of Peter S. Brugler on the east and a vacant lot of C. B. Brockway on the west, containing a front of fifty-two feet, and a depth of about 214 feet,—the said house being furnished in all its rooms with gas fixtures; also water, a bath room, Baltimore heater, &c. There is also on the premises a good stable, and other out buildings.

THIRD.—A vacant lot adjoining the above, and bounded on the west by property of M. P. Lutz being forty feet in front, and about 214 feet in depth.

NOTE.—Any of the above premises can be examined at any reasonable time, by persons wishing to do so, and calling upon either M. P. Lutz, assignee, or C. B. Brockway.

FOURTH.—A tract of timber land in Beaver township, formerly known as Charles B. Troy tract, bounded by lands of Aaron Johnson, Thomas Downs, Isaac Davis, warrantee, Coxe lands and others containing 165 acres more or less.

FIFTH.—Three building lots in Glen City, Beaver township, formerly in the name of Charles R. Barnes.

SIXTH.—A tract of timber land in Beaver township containing 79 acres, more or less.

SEVENTH.—A tract of timber land in same township containing 118 acres more or less.

EIGHTH.—A tract of timber land in same township containing 54 acres more or less.

NINTH.—A tract of timber land in same township, containing 39 acres more or less.

NOTE.—Tracts 6, 7, 8, & 9 are contiguous, bounded by the Schuylkill county line, Roaringcreek township line, &c., on William Stewart, James McNeal, Henry Noar, and other warrants, and were commonly known as the Vandliceal, Silliman & co tracts.

TENTH.—A tract of timber land in Beaver township containing 81 acres of land more or less, intersected by the P. & R. R. R. Co., the Catawissa creek, adjoining Aaron Johnson, ——Schell, and others.

THIRTEENTH.—A tract of timber land in Locust township in the warrantee name of John Everhart, containing 400 acres more or less.

FOURTEENTH.—Nine-fourtieths of a tract of timber land situate in Jackson and Sugarloaf townships, bounded by the Sullivan county line, lands of Samuel Yorks, Jesse and Mathias Rhone, John Kile, David Golden, Robert Montgomery and others, containing 700 acres, more or less, the remainder being owned by C. W. Miller.

FIFTEENTH.—A tract of timber land in Roaringcreek and Locust township, in the warrantee name of Thomas Barnes, jr., containing 60 acres, more or less.

NO. 16. Six lots in Montana City, Conyngham township, in Block "C," being No's 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

NO. 17. Three lots in same place, in Block "C," being No's 2, 3 and 4.

NO. 18. Three lots in same place, in Block "J," being No's 1, 2 and 3.

NO. 19. Eleven lots in same place, in Block "K," No's 1 to 11 inclusive.

NOTE—Any person desiring to see the town plot of said Montana City, as to the location of the above named lots, or their size, or who wishes to see the title thereto, can get the information by calling on C. B. Brockway prior to day of sale.

The above properties will be sold in the order named, the assignee reserving the power to adjourn the sale from time to time, as circumstances may require.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-half less the ten per cent, at the confirmation of the sale; and the remaining one-half in three months thereafter, with interest from confirmation *nisi*.

M. P. LUTZ,
Assignee.

June 6

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Pa., on

Saturday, June 28, 1884,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Borough of Centralia, Pa., bounded and described as follows: On the north by lot of Alexander Black, on the east by an alley, on the west by Locust Avenue, and on the south by lot of David C. Black, being lot of 11 in block 74, whereon is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of David C. Black against William H. James and to be sold as the property of William H. James.

B. B. & B. Atty's. L. Fa.

ALSO,

The following real estate situate in the village of Espy, Scott township, Columbia county, Penn'a., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at corner of lot number 16 in plan of said village of Espy, belonging to Cyrus Barton, thence eastward by Main street eighty-two and one-half feet to corner of lot number 18 belonging to Isaac McKamie, thence southward by the same one hundred and seventy-three and one-fourth feet to an alley, thence by same eighty-two and one-half feet to corner of lot number 16 aforesaid, thence by the same northward one hundred and seventy-three and one-fourth feet to the place of beginning, being lot number 17 in said plan.

ALSO,

Lot described as follows: Beginning at a corner on the north side of Main street in line of lot of Jacob Hess, formerly W. Ruckle, thence along said street south sixty-six and one-fourth degrees west sixty feet, thence by lot of George Ruckle north twenty-three and three-fourth degrees west one hundred and seventy-three and one-fourth feet to alley No. 1, thence by said alley north sixty-six and one-fourth degrees west sixty feet to corner of said lot of Jacob Hess, thence by said lot south twenty-three and three-fourth degrees east one hundred and seventy-three and one-fourth feet to place of beginning, containing 10,395 square feet, whereon is erected a two story frame dwelling house and out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of George M. Baker at the suit of M. A. Baker.

K. & W. Atty's. Al. Fi. Fa.

JOHN MOUREY,
Sheriff.

June 6, tf.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

Saturday, July 5th, 1884,

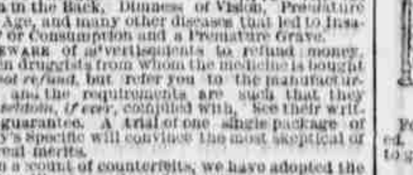
at 2 o'clock p. m. All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Millin township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Aaron Andrews, on the south by lands of Samuel Snyder, on the east by lands of Nathan Creasy, and on the west by lands of Stephen Gearhart. Containing Seven Acres more or less, without buildings.

Seized, and taken into execution at the suit of John Hinderliter and Sarah A. Hinderliter, his wife in right of said wife, vs. Stephen Wolf, and to be sold as the property of the said Stephen Wolf.

JOHN MOUREY,
K. & W. Atty's Sheriff.

June 13

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

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Real Estate!

The undersigned administrator of Susan Rumbel late of Beaver township, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Beaver township, Columbia County Pa., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 24th A. D. 1884.

at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate to-wit: A lot situate in said Beaver township adjoining land of Charles Shuman, Martin Johnson and others, whereon are erected a two story

Frame Dwelling House

and Out Building.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property, one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute and the remaining three-fourths in one year from confirmation nisi with interest from that date.

LEVI MICHAEL,
Administrator.

June 6

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ABRAHAM FORCE, DECEASED.

The undersigned appointed auditor to distribute the balance in the hands of the administrator of said decedent, will meet the parties interested at the offices of Barkley & Buckingham on Monday the seventh day of July, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock a. m. when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and present the same or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said estate.

R. BUCKINGHAM,
Auditor.

June 13

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CHARLES HAYES, DECEASED, LATE OF CATAWISSA, PA.

Letters of administration on the estate of Charles Hayes deceased, late of Catawissa, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of the deceased are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

CLINTON ELLIS,
Rhawn & Robbins Atty's Administrator.

June 16-6w

TAX NOTICE.

The undersigned, Treasurer of the town of Bloomsburg, hereby gives notice that he is prepared to receive the town taxes of said town, as certained for the year 1884, on and after Thursday, June 12, 1884, at his office in Maize's building, corner of Second and Centre Streets, in said Town; and all tax-payers are hereby required to pay the same. Any tax unpaid at the expiration of thirty days from the said 12th day of June, shall be paid with five per centum upon the amount added thereto.

FRANK P. BILLMEYER,
Town Treasurer.

June 13-4w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF SAMUEL RIMBY, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary in the estate of Samuel Rimby late of Madison township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased having been granted by the register of said county to the undersigned executor. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present the same for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment without delay.

LEVI D. GEIGER,
Executor.
Washingtonville, Montour county, Pa.

June 5 1884. June 13-6 w

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH WEAVER, DECEASED, LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to distribute funds in the hands of Executor in the estate of Joseph Weaver, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, July, 5th 1884 at 10 o'clock, a. m., when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear and present their claims or be debarred from any share of said fund.

PAUL E. WIRT,
Auditor.

June 13

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Bloomsburg, Pa., June 4 1884.
June 6-3w

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF ALEX COLLEY DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to distribute the balance in the hands of the executor in the estate of Alex. Colley, deceased, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Friday the 27th day of June A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear and present their claims and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned without delay.

C. C. PEACOK,
Auditor.

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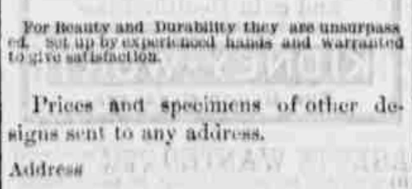
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Correct Railroad Time Table.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:36 a. m.	11:52 a. m.
4:06 p. m.	6:13 p. m.

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Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:05 a. m.	8:38 a. m.
11:17 a. m.	11:53 a. m.
6:38 p. m.	4:36 p. m.

The 8:38 a. m. train connects at Northumberland with the 9:35 train on Pennsylvania road, reaching Philadelphia at 3:15 p. m.

The 11:53 train connects with Philadelphia and Reading road at Rupert reaching Philadelphia at 6:00 p. m.

The 11:53 train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 1:50, reaching Philadelphia at 7:25 p. m.

The 4:36 p. m. train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 8:05 p. m., and reaches Philadelphia at 3:05 a. m.

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Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
11:27 a. m.	12:01 p. m.
6.30 p. m.	4:15 p. m.

Notice to Correspondents.

In order to save many communications from the waste basket we make the following suggestions to local correspondents: Use only one side of the sheet, and write as plain as possible; give only the local news that is of some interest to the community, such as accidents, improvements, marriages, deaths, matter relating to schools and churches, business enterprises, changes of residence, and the like. What appear to be jokes at the expense of others, and personal mention giving only one name or initials or a nickname, will not be printed under any circumstances. Such items often give offense, though none may be intended. The full name of the writer must always be given, but will not be printed unless requested. tf

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Personal.

Miss Ellie Fox is visiting friends at Lock Haven.

Mrs. Geo. A. McKelvy of Millersburg, is visiting friends in this place.

Rev. F. P. Manhart is in attendance at the Lutheran Synod at Williamsport.

C. G. Barkley Esq., S. A. Wilson and Mr. Garrison were up to Cole's last week, rusticating.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brower returned from Bellefonte on Monday. Mrs. Lingle accompanied them.

Rev. L. Zahner, Judge Elwell, E. R. Drinker, J. G. Freeze and W M. Monroe attended the Convention of the P. E. Church at Reading this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swartwout of Benton township, will celebrate their silver wedding on the 16th inst. We extend our congratulations.

Mrs. B. F. Zarr, Miss Emma Dengler and Miss Mary Unangst are at Williamsport attending a session of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Society of the Lutheran Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buckalew spent several days at Perry's, in Sugarloaf last week. Amos is a success as a fisherman, and we had the pleasure of eating some delicious trout caught by him.

A. J. Kline called in to see us a few days ago. He resides in Fishingcreek township where he was born, and is now 82 years of age. He has taken this paper ever since it was established, more than 40 years.

John Waters of Scott township returned from a Western trip last Saturday. He was out as far as Indian Territory, and was absent over two months. He met a number of people who moved from this section, and reports them all doing well.

It proved to be a Blaine hat after all.

Vennor, the weather prophet, is dead.

The best dirt-proof watches made can be seen at L. Bernhard's jewelry store.

John Guinn, an old resident of Catawissa, died last Sunday, aged nearly 94 years.

Groceries at Theo. Heck's (Heacock stand) as cheap as the cheapest.

The proceeds of the festival at the Episcopal rectory last week were over $96.00.

Great bargains at Theo. Heck's in dress goods at Heacock stand, Lightstreet.

The anniversary exercises of Wyoming Seminary at Kingston, will be held on the 13, 15, 16, 17 and 18th insts.

The COLUMBIAN will issue a six-page edition immediately after the Chicago convention, giving full proceedings.

The sale of lands not disposed of at Treasurer's sale last Monday has been adjourned until the 23rd inst., at 10 o'clock, p. m.

Wedding congratulations, in the shape of handsome fringed cards, at the COLUMBIAN store.

The Philadelphia Sunday *Press* is sold here on Sunday afternoon by Wesley Moyer. The papers are brought here on a railroad tricycle.

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We shall publish next week a brief sketch of each of the candidates for county offices, or so many as can be prepared by that time. If any are omitted they will appear as soon as we can obtain the necessary data.

The usual concert at J. Saltzer's, Saturday evening of this week will commence at 8 o'clock sharp, with Blaine's Grand march, overture of Caliph of Bagdad, and other late publications, public invited. Admission free.

A young man named John, of Catawissa, was arrested last Friday on a warrant issued by J. M. Clark, Esq., charged with assault, resisting an officer, and making threats of bodily injury. He gave bail for his appearance at court.

Rt. Rev. M. A. DeWolfe Howe, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, will be present at St. Paul's church on Sunday next. The rite of confirmation will take place at the evening service. The Bishop will be at St. John's church, Catawissa, in the afternoon.

There is no lack of accommodations for fishing parties up the creek. On the Laporte road, besides J. W. Perry's Elk Run House, an excellent hotel is kept a mile further up by Parvin Kile. The house is new, and the landlord looks after the comfort and pleasure of his guests at all times.

H. E. Heacock of Light Street is selling phosphates at low prices.

The Band kindly furnished music on Saturday evening for the Episcopal festival.

Don't forget the Calliepian festival at Evans' Hall this Friday and Saturday evenings.

The annual excursion of the Editorial Association will go to Gettysburg next Tuesday.

The Ladies of the Evangelical church will hold a festival at Espy Park on Saturday evening, June 14th.

FOR SALE.—100,000 shaved hemlock shingles, by A. Laubach & Son, Guava, Sugarloaf township.
June 16-4w •

Samuel Keller caught a white chub in the creek at Orangeville last Friday morning, that weighed a pound and a quarter, and measured fifteen inches.

FOR RENT.—The front room, second floor, of the COLUMBIAN building. One of the best rooms for an office in town. Heated by steam, lighted by gas, water on same floor, Apply to Geo. E. Elwell. tf

At the Episcopal convention in Reading on Wednesday, Rev. Dr. Rulison of Cleveland was elected Assistant Bishop. Col. J. G. Freeze was elected Chancellor of the Diocese.

A. M. Rupert, an old resident of this town, died of consumption last Friday, aged 61 years. The funeral was largely attended on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Manhart conducting the services.

Captain M. M. Brobst, assistant inspector appointed by the Pennsylvania Department, G. A. R., inspected Ent Post, No. 250, last Friday night. A number of members of Hoagland Post of Catawissa, were present.

LOST.—Between Buckhorn and the Barton bridge, on the night of June 5th, a child's coat. The owner will be greatly obliged if the finder will leave it at this office or at C. L. Hartman's, Buckhorn.

Appleman & McHenry of Benton, have on hand heavy wagons and top buggies, and have recently finished a lot of spring wagons. All their work is well made, and the materials used are of the best.

Theo. Heck bought the old Heacock stand in Lightstreet, and took possession May 30th. Mr. Heck is a man well spoken of by the people in the county and will no doubt command a fair share of the patronage in and about Lightstreet.

FOR SALE.—A desirable store property of the late A. B. Vanliew at Buckhorn. The goods will be sold separately, or the goods and building together. Apply to A. C. Vanliew or J. Terwilliger, Lightstreet, Pa.
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Wm. Hartzel has taken charge of the Exchange hotel stables, and will conduct them on his own account hereafter. Guests of the hotel, and all others requiring stabling will be accommodated the same as heretofore.

A number of incendiary fires have occurred lately at Danville, and the people there are considerably excited over the attempts to burn the town. If the guilty parties are caught they will be roughly handled.

W. K. Armstrong saw a monster of some kind on his way home beyond Welsh Hill last Monday night. He cannot tell what it was but says it looked like an immense snake, and this is corroborated by the tracks found in the corn field next day.

A medical journal contains an article entitled, "Notes of Cases of Ice Cream Poisoning." It is said that young men are clubbing together to raise a fund of five hundred dollars to secure the insertion of the article in all the papers.

We learn that Father O'Reilly will soon leave here to go to Lancaster. During his pastorate here he has done a good work, and has made many friends both in and out of his congregation. We wish him success wherever his lot may be cast.

Sweet potato plants 30 cts. per 100, $2.50 per 1,000; Late Flat Dutch cabbage plants, (best quality) 25 cts. per 100, $2.00 per 1,000, at Dillon's Green Houses.

The D. L. & W. R R. has a special officer on the road whose business it is to keep order on the trains and in the depots. No disorderly conduct is allowed on the cars. This is a good move, as it will help to put a stop to the vulgar and profane language in which some men indulge, and which ladies are frequently compelled to hear.

Nice scrap books for 25 and 30 cents and up, at the COLUMBIAN store.

The Friendship boys were out on Monday night with their jumper, for a practice on making connections with fire plugs. They started on a run down Main street, and when in front of the Banking Company, both men at the tongue fell, and one of them had his hand badly cut. This did not stop them, however, and they got water through the hose in a very short time.

Prof. Heck will hold a six-week term of school at the Orangeville Academy, beginning on the 30th of June, for all who desire to review their studies before the Fall examination. He will have to assist him several county superintendents and other well-known teachers. The instruction will be generally without book, and will include all the common branches—Physiology, Physical Geography and frequent lectures on the Principles and Methods of Teaching, most approved. Should any desire to study more advanced branches in connection with the review, they will be accommodated. The healthfulness and picturesqueness of Orangeville and its vicinity make it a very desirable place to spend the summer. Boarding, lodging and tuition are very reasonable. Terms will be sent on application.

Centralia.

The Republicans of town are enthusiastic over the nomination of Blaine and Logan. A large flag was thrown to the breeze from the top of the Mammoth store in honor of the event.

A young child of Mrs. Fogerty's was badly scalded on Thursday, by the up-setting of a tub of of hot water. At last account the child is doing well.

On Saturday evening one of the cars standing on the tail track at Centralia colliery took fire from a spark thrown by a passing engine, and before it was discovered several of the cars were in flames. A large force of men separated the burning cars from the rest, and a dam of water being in close proximity the fire was soon extinguished.

A new case of small-pox developed in the Evans family on Monday. The two children who took it first have recovered.

The Methodists contemplate erecting a new church shortly, and have made arrangements to give an entertainment the latter part of the present month. The proceeds to be used to defray some of the expenses. They should receive a good share of the public patronage.

Will Lake will open a marble yard in town shortly. Those wanting anything in that line are requested to call.

Miss Taylor of Mt. Carmel, and Miss May of Shamokin, spent Friday in town the guests of the Misses Troutman.

The new line of column pipes lately put in at the Logan colliery, will be tested this week. The pipes were put in by contractors Walsh & Austy.

An exciting game of base ball will be played to-morrow evening between the engineers of Logan and Centralia collieries, for a barrel of beer. The game will be called at 4 o'clock sharp.

Thursday being Corpus Christi, a great holyday among the Catholics, was observed in the usual manner. The collieries were idle in consequence.

The main water pipes bursted on Saturday near the Mammoth store, causing a water famine in the upper end of town, some of the people were compelled to carry water two miles.

Rev. Benton spent the fore part of the week in Harrisburg.

Centre.

Our enterprising farmers, John Kelchner and David Remley are building houses. Centre township is constantly improving.

Candidates are canvassing the county for votes. We think some have "bridled the wrong horse."

The musical mosquitoes will soon be along with their bill.

Theodore Heck has full possession of the store goods, formerly owned by Harvey Heacock. He has bottom prices for all articles.

Simon Sitler's colt was badly hurt by jumping over a wire fence.

Elisha Hagenbuch is building a wagon shed.

The township convention will meet at Webb's run on June 21. Preparations are being made for a pleasant time.

The Hidlay school elected 6 delegates to represent their school, and bring back a fleshy report. We hope they will not disappoint us.

Emanuel and Reuben Sitler and wives went to the head waters of Fishingcreek to fish for the speckled beauties. We were told they made a "water haul."

HAWKEYE.

Buckhorn.

Our farmers' wives are sighing, because their turkeys are dying. If they examine closely, perhaps they'll find they die of gapes.

Last Saturday the Grangers of this place went up to Elias Reichard's to fish. From an interview with one of the party I learn they had a very pleasant and enjoyable time. As none of their neighbors received a complimentary mess, I presume they did not catch more than enough for home use. By the way, I will suggest that some of our leading young people make up a similar affair. I am sure your valley friends would be very much delighted to know that they would be invited.

Misses Anna and Kate Stroup gave their many friends a sociable on Saturday evening last.

T. W. Kistler of Nanticoke, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Children's day was duly observed by the M. E. Sunday school.

On Monday last Theodore Dent, Percival Foulk and Abram Stauffer started for Virginia to see the country and visit friends. They intend visiting Washington City before their return.

The Board of Directors at their last meeting elected T. E. Sands as president, A. J. Emmitt secretary, and E. J. Ohl treasurer. The school fund is more flush now than it has been for some years back. The debts are all paid, some money in the treasury, and taxes uncollected. They intend erecting a new school building in our district before the schools open.

There will be no preaching in the M. E. church next Sunday.

Miss Mattie Hartman will spend the summer with her sister, Clara.

Quite a number of our adults are teething.

Our small boys begin to experience that the bumble end of a bumble bee has a temperature of about 7,000,000°.

The shower on Monday night did some injury to our corn fields.

FAIRY.

Northumberland Democratic Nominations.

The democratic county convention of Northumberland county last Monday nominated Wm. Heller, for sheriff; W. A. Dean, for congress; S. P. Wolverton, for state senate; James Riland and J. W. Brown, for assembly; Michael Kelligher and Thomas L. Kerchner, for county commissioners; H. F. Maun, for prothonotary; Matthias Croninger, for treasurer; T. Penn Smith and Moses Bond, for auditors; Dr. D. T. Krebs, for coroner; B. E. Campton, G. C. Stahl, E. L. Matchin and Isaac Bloom for state delegates.

Washburn & Hunting's United Shows.

The great shows of L. W. Washburn & Robert Hunting having been consolidated for this season, thus making one of the largest and grandest shows in America, as their shows before united were two of the leading shows of America. This great consolidation will be in this place on Tuesday, June 17. The menagerie contains numerous cages of rare animals. The great black elephant being a great feature which is by far a greater curiosity than a white elephant.

The museum contains many curiosities, and Sergt. John Mason, the would-be slayer of the assassin of our great martyred President, Garfield, will hold receptions in this tent. In the circus, although large enough for three rings contains but one, as a person can only look at one ring at a time. In this large ring will be seen the best performance ever given by any show. Among the performers are M. Robert Whittaker, the champion bare back rider of the world, who was with Forepaugh last year. Also the daring equestrienne, Miss Lizzie Keys. The Huntings, Robert and Clarice, the finest trapeze performers in the world, Roemer and Lerouk, Barnum's $5,000 challenge horizontal bar performers, and fifty other performers the best in the circus profession. In speaknig of this show, the Keystone *Courier*, of Connelsville, Pa., says:

"Nearly five thousand people were agreeably surprised last Friday, by the performance of the Washburn & Hunting circus. The circus performance was the best ever seen in this city, and we have had Forepaugh and Barnum. Roemer and Lerouk came in for the greatest applause, they being the favorites. We hope Messrs. Washburn & Hunting success, as they deserve it."

Don't forget the date, Tuesday June 17. Grand street parade at 11 o'clock on day of show. Usual price of admission.

In the Upper End.

The village of Benton is the centre of the alleged Fishingcreek Confederacy of twenty years ago, and the centre of business of the Fishingcreek region of to-day. All around here are men who were the victims of persecution in the dark days of the rebellion, because of their political sentiments, and whose only crime consisted in voting the Democratic ticket. The reminiscenses of that time as related by men who underwent imprisonment and suffering in government bastiles, told now, when all passion and prejudice has subsided, form an interesting tale. But the subject is too familiar to our people to require any comments at this late day. The unlawful action of the government, and the vindication of the victims, are matters of history.

I recently heard of an incident that occurred in this section some years ago, which grew out of the military occupation, and as I have never seen it print, I give it as I heard it: A certain candidate for congress on the Republican ticket came up this way looking after his political interests, and stopping at a certain residence, met the lady of the house, to whom he cordially extended his hand and smilingly said: "How do you do, Mrs. ——. Don't you know me?" The lady in question looked at him a moment and then recognizing him, replied with some vehemence, "Yes sir, I know you, you are General So and So, who was up here with the soldiers. I remember how you camped in our fields, destroyed our grain, burned our fences, called me up frequently at midnight and ordered me to get supper for yourself and officers, and never paid a cent for what you got. I have reason to remember you, and the sooner you leave this house the better it will please me." The candidate took the hint, got in his buggy and left Benton township, and never made his appearace there again.

Turning from the past let us look to the present. The Fishingcreek railroad has been, and is now, a subject of frequent conversation. Everybody is anxious for the accomplishment of the project. I am sorry to say that the present condition of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company has put a damper on the enterprise for the present. The Reading is unable to pay its running expenses in cash, and has again gone into the hands of a receiver. This will prevent it from building any collateral roads, and the Fishingcreek enterprise must look elsewhere for support. Why should not the Pennsylvania road take hold of it? A bridge at Bloomsburg would not only give communication with all this section of country, but would secure for the Pennsylvania all the freight for Bloomsburg and the entire Fishingcreek section. It would undoubtedly be a paying investment for the company, and would be of incalculable benefit to this end of the county. Great forests of fine timber, and large tracts of ore lands, which can only be developed by a railroad, now lie here almost valueless, because of the great expense of getting to market. Those who have an interest in the lands could well afford to subscribe liberally towards an enterprise that would connect them with the business centres of the country, and tend to develop the wealthy resources of a section now shut in among the mountains with no outlet except by slow teams.

The Fishingcreek railroad will be built sometime. It is only a question of years. By whom or when it will be done, is beyond the knowledge of your correspondent.

Trout fishing is quite a mania up here. Most everybody fishes, and some of the stories told of their success are considerably larger than the fish caught. A great many trout have been taken, but most of them are very small. Rev. G. V. Savage of Benton, who is an expert, is reported to have captured the biggest fish of the season, measuring twenty inches. It had been caught before, but made its escape, taking with it the hook and a short piece of line, which it had in its mouth when secured by Mr. Savage.

During a two days' trip through Sugarloaf township, I found that the COLUMBIAN is read by nearly every family, and what is better yet, most of them pay for their paper in advance. The roads were in excellent condition, but I found it necessary to inquire my way frequently, because the guide boards are not all up where they should be. The crops generally are looking well, but the corn was put back by the frost, considerable garden truck was killed, and it is feared that fruit has been affected. I hope that time may show that this fear is ungrounded. E.

Normal Notes.

Just as we went to press last week we were informed that the members of the Senior Class had all passed their examinations. They were heartily congratulated by their friends, and many of them went home for a few days' rest and recreation after the hard labor of the past few months. The class numbers 31 ladies and 16 gentlemen. The appointments for commencement are as follows:

Valedictorian, Charles Kennedy, of Luzerne county; Salutatorian, Kate E. Higgins, of Hazleton. The following are the orators and essayists, M. L. Hunt, W H. Brower, M. H. McAniff, I. H. Winter, P. A. Clark, Misses Annie E. Hoban, Alice I. Hoban, Anna M. Dengler, Allie S. Phinney, Annie R. Limberger, Laura M. Helman, Sarah M. Harvey, Jennie B. McGinnis, Jean T. MacCulloch, and May Sharpless.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

SUNDAY.—June 22, Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Joel Swartz, D. D., Lutheran church.

MONDAY.—June 23, examination of undergraduates.

MONDAY,—June 23, 7:30 P. M., entertainment by Model School and Prof. Nile's orchestra, Institute Hall.

TUESDAY,—June 24, examination of undergraduates continued.

TUESDAY.—June 24, 8 P. M. address before the Literary Societies, Rev. B. F. Alleman, Institute Hall.

WEDNESDAY,—June 25, examination of undergraduates continued.

WEDNESDAY,—June 25, 4 P. M. Class-day exercises, campus.

WEDNESDAY,—June 25, 8 P. M., Calliepian reunion, School Parlors.

THURSDAY,—June 26, 9:30 A. M., Commencement exercises.

THURSDAY,—June 26, 2:30 P. M., Alumni reunion and dinner.

THURSDAY,—June 26, 7:30 P. M., Senior Reception, School Parlors.

MARRIAGES.

CONNER—MOORE.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Orangeville June 5th, 1884, by Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Jones Conner to Miss Laura Idela Moore both of Rohrsburg Columbia county, Pa.

SAVIDGE—FORBER.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Orangeville, June 5 1884, by Rev E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Francis B. Savidge of Jonestown, Pa., to Miss Maggie J. Forber of Philadelphia, Pa.

DALLMAN—MILLER.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Washingtonville on 5th inst. by Jno. G. Lloyd, Mr. Wm. Dallman to Miss Mary E. Miller, all of Columbia county Pa.

WILLIAMS—ALE.—At the M. E. parsonage in Orangeville, May 17th, 1884, by Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Warren W. Williams to Miss Lizzie A. Ale, both of Orangeville, Columbia county, Pa.

WELSH—MARDON.—At the M. E. Parsonage in Orangeville, May 31st 1884, by Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Orval A. Welsh of Orange township to Miss Sarah M. Mardon of Greenwood, both of Columbia county, Pa.

DEATHS.

ACHENBACH—Died in Orangeville on the 26th of May, Mr. Samuel Achenbach, aged 78 years and 9 months.

LOCAL NOTICES.

C. C. Marr pays 18 cents for eggs.

Parasols, fans, Jerseys, gloves, hosiery, handkerchiefs, at Clark & Son's.

Go to C. C. Marr's for childs' Misses and ladies' shoes.

A neat present given away with every purchase made at the Popular Clothing Store of David Lowenberg.

Go to C. C. Marr's for silk dress patterns.

Lace buntings 10 cts. per yard, best prints 5 cents, good Cheviot shirtings 9 cents, good muslins 7 cents, toweling 5 cents, cottonades 12, 15, and 17 cents, worth fully ⅓ more, at Clark & Son's.

C. C. Marr has the best 50 cent syrup in town. Try it.

A very large line of straw hats now on view, NOBBY, NEAT and NEW, just arrived at David Lowenberg's.

Go to C. C. Marr's for nice dress goods, very cheap.

Shirtings, Percales, Seersuckers, Ginghams, Cretonnes, &c., just opened to-day at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

Colored and summer silks cheaper than ever, at Clark & Son's.

C. C. Marr wants butter, eggs, lard, side, shoulder and ham.

Calico by the bale, muslin by the bale—just in this week, at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

Hamburg nett, all over embroideries, laces, corsets, &c., at Clark & Son's.

"The apparel oft proclaim's the man."
A well dressed gentleman is the admiration of all, and the place to get your SPRING SUIT is at the POPULAR AND RELIABLE STORE of David Lowenberg.

Good gingham 6c. per yard at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

The largest and cheapest lot of white dress goods and embroideries to be found, at Clark & Son's.

Lilley & Sleppy want all the butter and eggs you can bring—half cash.

Best calico 5½c. per yard, by the bolt, at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

Good muslin 5½c. per yard by the bolt, at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

Gentlemen who want a spring suit put up in CITY STYLE should call at the POPULAR MERCHANT TAILOR of Bloomsburg, David Lowenberg who employs only EXPERIENCED WORKMEN.

We offer the best values in black dress silks ever shown by us, for the money —Clark & Son.

New goods at J. B. Skeer's.

"When found make a note of."
The place to go for your spring clothing, a stylish hat, or a fine neck scarf, or the latest style in furnishing goods is at David Lowenberg's.

PHOSPHATES! PHOSPHATES!!
The undersigned is selling J. J. Allen's phosphates as cheap as the cheapest. Different grades and different prices. Call or address, HARVEY E. HEACOCK,
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BUSINESS NOTICES.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.
At times symptoms of indigestion are present, uneasiness of the stomach, &c., a moisture like perspiration, producing itching at night, or when one is warm, cause the Piles. The effect is immediate relief upon the application of Dr. Basanko's Pile Remedy, which costs you but 50 cents and is sold by C. A. Kleim. July 13-eow

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH
and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by Moyer Bros.

WANT OF FAITH.
If C. A. Kleim, the Druggist, does not succeed it is not for the want of faith. He has such faith in Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung syrup as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, and Lung Affections, that he gives a bottle free to each and every one who is in need of a medicine of this kind.
July 13-eow

For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by Moyer Bros.

See a woman in another column, near Speer's Vineyards, picking grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession, for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged.
Sold by C. A. Kleim, Bloomsburg.
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SHILOH'S VITALIZER
is what you need for Constipation, loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle, For sale by Moyer Bros.

SERVED HIM RIGHT.
"I have used Burdock Blood Bitters, and am happy to say they have done me more good than anything yet. Send a further quantity at once." This man was a sufferer from dyspepsia for twenty years. His name is Alexander Lough, and he lives at Alpena, Mich.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS,
made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. For sale by Moyer Bros.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice. 15c.

"Rough on Corns," for corns, bunions, 15c.

Thin people. "Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, &c. $1.

"Rough on Toothache," instant relief. 15c.

Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity don't fail to try "Wells' Health Renewer."

"Buchu-paiba," great kidney and urinary cure.

Flies, roaches, ants, bed-bugs, rats, mice, cleared out by "Rough on Rats." 15c.

"Rough on Coughs," troches, 15c; liquid, 25c.

For children, slow in development, puny and delicate, use "Wells' Health Renewer."

"Rough on Dentist" tooth powder. Try it. 15c.

Nervous weakness, dyspepsia, sexual debility cured by "Wells' Health Renewer." $1.

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Stinging, irritation, all Kidney and Urinary complaints cured by "Buchu-paiba." $1.

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SATISFACTION UNIVERSAL.
"In the past three months I have sold one hundred and six bottles of Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Never saw a medicine in my life that gave such universal satisfaction. Cured an ulcerated throat for me in twenty-four hours; never failed to relieve my children of croup." C. R. Hall, Druggist, Grayville, Ill.

A DUTY I OWE.
Williamsport, Pa., Dec 21, 1882.
John H. Phelps, Scranton Pa, Dear Sir—I feel it my duty to inform you how much good you have done me through your Rheumatic Elixir. I have been a very bad sufferer with Inflammatory Rheumatism for over two years, half of the time not able to walk without crutches or canes. I have used three bottles of your Rheumatic Elixir. I pronounce myself entirely cured of rheumatism when all other remedies and treatment failed to give relief. And I am in better health now than I have been for years. I hope your circulars with their wonderful testimonials, will reach every sufferer with that terrible disease, rheumatism, and may encourage them to give the Rheumatic Elixir a thorough trial. I can recommend the Rheumatic Elixir with great confidence.
I am respectfully yours,
J. H. ARNOLD.
For sale at Hendershott's Pharmacy, Bloomsburg Pa.

CATARRH CURED,
health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by Moyer Bros.

All Ladies Should Know That Hoods, scarfs, ribbons and all fancy articles can be made any color wanted with Diamond Dyes. All the popular colors. 10c. at druggists. None equal them. Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt.

"THE BOSS."
Bethlehem, Pa., July 3, 1882.
Mr. John H. Phelps, Dear Sir—Please send me three dozen Phelps' Rheumatic Elixir soon as possible. I have sold all I had. Mr. D. J. Godshalk, editor "Daily Times," Bethlehem, is taking it. He says I could tell my customers it is the "boss" medicine for rheumatism.
Yours, etc.,
E. T. MEYERS, Druggist.
For sale at Hendershott's Pharmacy Bloomsburg Pa.

WHAT ONE DOSE DID.
S. S. Graves of Akron, N. Y., had asthma of the worst kind. Took one dose of Thomas' Eclectric Oil and was relieved in five minutes. He adds: "Would walk ten miles for this medicine and pay $5 a bottle for it. It cured my wife of rheumatism like magic."

WHAT DR. N. INGRAM SAYS.
Wherever Phelps' Rheumatic Elixir has been tried here it has given satisfaction.
Yours, &c.,
N. INGRAM, M. D.
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THAT HACKING COUGH
can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by Moyer Bros.

CONSUMPTION.
This fell destroyer has brought a blight to many a promising life and sadness to many a home circle. There is one remedial agent that will assist nature in throwing off this terrible disease, viz: Speer's Port Wine. It has been used by hundreds with wonderful success, has checked the progress of disease and brought thousands back to health. For sale by druggists.

WILL YOU SUFFER
with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by Moyer Bros.

SHILOH'S COUGH
and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures consumption. For sale by Moyer Bros.

CARES OF LIFE.
As we come to them they are received, borne with, and passed over with no more than a thought, if we are in the enjoyment of health, but if suffering with Piles or skin disease of any kind they magnify a hundred fold. C. A. Kleim, the Druggist, has Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy which is an absolute cure for any affection of the kind and is sold for 50cents. July 13-eow

HE KNOWS IT.
Hiram D. Maxfield, formerly of Silver Springs, R. I., has no doubt about the wonderful curative powers of Kidney-Wort. He was so afflicted with Kidney Complaint that he could not stand on his feet from pain and weakness. As soon as he commenced using Kidney-Wort he experienced immediate relief and at once began to grow strong and was relieved of all pain and unpleasantness. He says: "I know I have been cured by Kidney-Wort."

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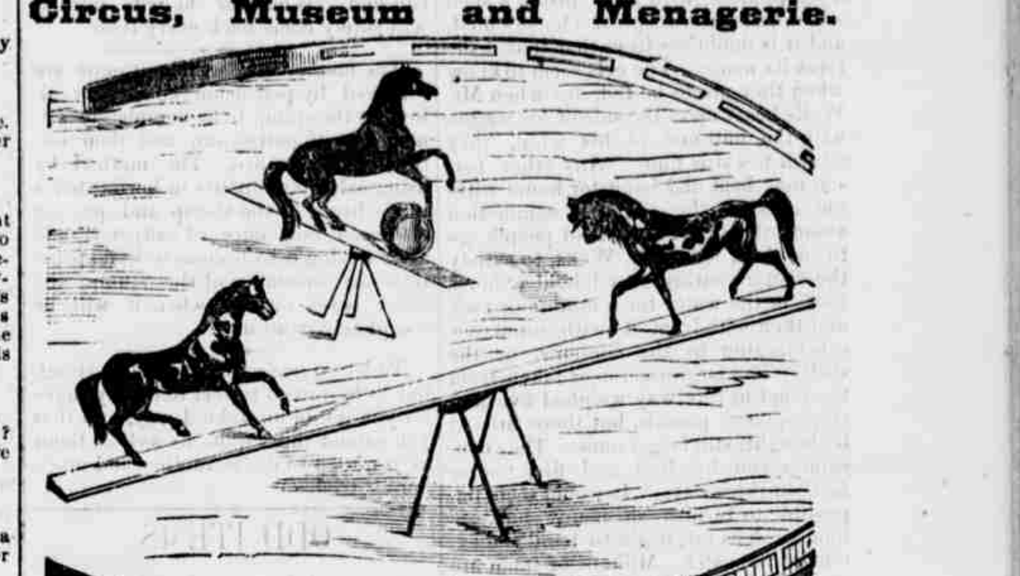
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May 9-1y



I could hardly speak it was almost impossible to breathe through my nostrils. Using Ely's Cream Balm a short time I was entirely relieved. My head has not been so clear nor voice so strong in years. I recommend this admirable remedy to all afflicted with catarrh or colds in the head. J. O. Tichenor, Merchant Elizabeth, N. J.

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May 23-4w d

TOWN BONDS FOR SALE.

The Town of Bloomsburg offers $5000 of 4½ per cent bonds for sale. Interest payable semi annually. Any further information can be obtained at the Secretary's office.

A. L. FRITZ, Sec'y.
Town Council.

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Dec 21-1y

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June 13-4w d

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1 07
Rye " "	70
Corn " "	65
Oats " "	40
Flour ber barrel	6 00
Cloverseed	8 00
Butter	18
Eggs	14
Tallow	06
Potatoes	25
Dried Apples	06
Hams	14
Sides and shoulders	10
Chickens	12
Turkeys	12
Lard per pound	13
Hay per ton	13 00
Beeswax	25
Buckwheat flour per hundred	3 00
Hides per lb	5 to 7
Veal skins per lb	08
Sheep pelts, each	75
Wool per lb	30

Philadelphia Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

FEED—Western winter bran, spot, @13.50.

MACKEREL.—Extra mess 35c. large 1's, 28 @ 30c. extra shore 1's 25 @ 26c.

FLOUR.—Western extra's 3.00 @ 3.50; Penn's. family, 4.50 @ 4.75 Ohio clear, 4.75 @ 5.40; winter patent 5.75 @ 6.50.

RYE.—Prime Pennsylvania 70 @ 73c.

CORN.—60 bushels in grain depot at 60c.

OATS.—No. 3 white @ 38¾ No. 2, 39¼.

HAY AND STRAW Timothy—Choice Western and New York, $17. fair to good Western and New York, 14. @ 15.; medium Western and New York, 11. @ 13.; Cut hay as to quality 14. @ 17.00. Rye straw 16.50 @ 17.00 Wheat straw, 9. @ 10. Oat straw 10 @ 11.

WOOL.—Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, Fleece Washed, XX and above, 34 @ 36c; X 32 @ 34c; common 23 @ 25c. Texas, Spring clip fine 20 @ 22, medium 20 @ 24 coarse, 16 @ 17.

EGGS.—Pennsylvania extra, 18½ @ 19 western 17½ @ 18.

BUTTER.—Pennsylvania extra, 31 Western extra 20 @ 21.

LIVE POULTRY.—Fowls, Hens, 13 mixed lots 12c. roosters old 7 @ 8c; spring chickens as to size and quality 25 @ 25.

DRESSED POULTRY.—Turkeys extra 16 @ 17cts. chickens extra 16 @ 17; spring chickens as to weight and quality 25 @ 30.

POTATOES.—Early Rose per bushel, 45 @ 50 Burbank and Hebron, 55 @ 60. New potatoes $3.50 to 5 00 per barrel for fair and good. Culls $1 00 a 1.50.

ONIONS.—Bermuda, per crate, $1.25 a 1.40. Cabbage, new, per bbl, $2.00 a 3 00. Tomatoes, Florida, per crate, choice, ripe, $1.00 a 2 4; do, fair to do, good, 75 a 90c. Squash, Charleston, per crate, 50a55c. Cucumbers, Charleston, per crate, $1a1 50. Beans, Charleston and Savannah, round, per crate, $2 a 2 25; do, North Carolina, per ½ bbl, $2 a 2 50; do Norfolk, per ½ bbl, $3 00 a 4 00.

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FROM THE INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF THOMAS JEFFERSON, DELIVERED AT WASHINGTON ON ENTERING UPON HIS SECOND TERM OF OFFICE AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES MARCH 4, 1805.

At home, fellow citizens, you best know whether we have done well or ill. The suppression of unnecessary offices, of useless establishments and expenses, enabled us to discontinue our internal taxes. These, covering our land with officers, and opening our doors to their intrusions, had already begun that process of domiciliary vexation which, once entered, is scarcely to be restrained from reaching, successively, every article of property and produce. If, among these taxes, some minor ones fall, which had not been inconvenient, it was because their amount would not have paid the officers who collected them, and because, if they had any merit, the State authorities might adopt them instead of others less approved.

The remaining revenue, on consumption of foreign articles, is paid chiefly by those who can afford to add foreign luxuries to domestic comforts. Being collected on our seaboard and frontiers only, and incorporated with the transactions of our mercantile citizens, it may be the pleasure and pride of an American to ask: What farmer, what mechanic, what laborer ever sees a tax gatherer of the United States? These contributions enable us to support the current expenses of the Government; to fulfill contracts with foreign nations; to extinguish the native right of soil within our limits; to extend those limits; and to apply such a surplus to our public debts as places at a short day their final redemption.

A Large Eel Pond.

The greatest eel pond in the country is on the farm of Mr. Wells, of Riverhad, L. I. The pond covers five acres. Two years ago Mr. Wells put into the pond two thousand dozen eels, with no intention of disturbing them for five years. They have increased wonderfully, millions being in the pond, and it is thought there will be quadrillions before Mr. Wells gets ready to market them, and that he has a fortune in them. The eels are fed regularly every three days on what is known as "horse feet," a sea product, with meat inside a shell which takes the shape of a horse's hoof, and it is doubtless from that that it derives its name. The eels seem to know when they are to be fed, for when Mr. Wells beats upon the side of his wagon with the butt-end of his whip, they swarm towards him. Any other person may beat and bang for hours without causing the slightest commotion among them. Hundreds of people go to see them fed. Mr. Wells, to satisfy the visitor's curiosity, will hold a "horse foot" in the water for a minute or two, and then withdraw it with numerous eels clinging to the contents, or the shell. The largest eel ever taken from the pond in this way weighed five and three-quarter pounds, but there are, it is thought, still larger ones. They consume seven hundred and fifty "horse feet" in three days. It would seem impossible to furnish so many, but the number does not begin to detail the extent of the catch. Millions of them are annually fed to swine and poultry, and some make a business of catching them. On June 15, after a storm, Captain Downs, with a trap of his own invention, caught one thousand "feet," and between the 15th of July and April his aggregate catch was nineteen thousand.

The Cultivation of Roots.

The *Western Rural* says it has frequently remarked in answer to correspondents with reference to feeding animals, "feed roots if you have them." We have felt the necessity of adding, "if you have them," for we know to what a large extent the culture of roots is neglected. Indeed, in the vast majority of cases we feel that it is useless to make the recommendation, for we are very sure that the farmer has no roots. It is a neglect which should not be so prevalent. The demand in stock feeding to-day is more for roots than any other one thing. Almost every farm has all that it needs of other kinds of food; but while the flesh-forming foods contain more moisture than the fat-forming, and therefore are more like roots in character, they fall far short. There is nothing to take the place of roots except ensilage, and we are not quite ready to believe that even that can. At all events ensilage costs the most, and if we allow it all the advantages over roots that its warmest admirer would claim, the difference in the cost would still, we think, make roots preferable. Why cannot we inaugurate a reform in this matter, and those of us who have never given attention to root crops begin now to do so? The mangel wurtzel is not difficult of cultivation, and yields enormously, though there are those who believe that the sugar beet is most desirable. However, mangels are good enough. It would be well if we grew root crops just as we grow other crops, with the object of raising the largest quantity that could be produced consistent with quality. That is the way to grow anything. It does not pay to grow half a crop. If a thing is worth cultivating at all, it is worth cultivating well. But it is better to grow half a crop of roots than none. It is a very careless operation to cultivate roots upon badly prepared or poor land, for it costs just as much to grow an acre of roots on poor land as it does upon rich, and it costs no more to grow them on land that is in proper condition than it does on land that is lumpy, trashy, etc. If the planting is properly done in rows, and the plants are made to stand in line in the row, the cultivation may be done by horse power, and thus save the greatest expense of cultivating roots—hand cultivation. Unless this is done the land should be made scrupulously clean of weeds before planting, for every weed adds to the expense unless it is permitted to grow unmolested, and it will add to the expense then in the shape of a diminished crop. When there is a very large acreage, large gang implements are used by which two or three rows are cultivated at a time. It is better in root cultivation to plow in the fall, and to replow in the spring. Then level and thoroughly pulverize, and the soil is ready, so far as the mechanical work is concerned.

Chicago boasts of an old lady, now ninety-four year old, who used to sit in George Washington's lap. It is comforting to know that, even if George couldn't tell a lie, he used to have some fun with the girls.

"I don't think much of that," said a waiter scornfully, as he picked up a two cent piece given him by a customer. "Neither do I," replied the customer, "otherwise I shouldn't have given it to you!"

RANGE FOR POULTRY.—*The Poultry World* says that whether fowls form a part of the farm stock or are raised for pleasure or pecuniary interest, they can pick up a good share of their living if they have a free range. Liberty and contentment go far towards making fowls more profitable to their owners. They like to enjoy ample range among bushes, trees and fields, scratching here and there among leaves, half burying themselves in sand and loam, and chasing insects all day long. Thus they are kept growing right along, always looking lively and enjoying that healthy exercise which alone gives stamina and hardiness and increases their fertility. Few poultrymen look on the favorable side of their lives and only count upon their value by the number of eggs and chicks they produce. It is remarkable the amount of good a flock of fowls will do in an orchard. They will keep down weeds, eat the worms and curculio that come in their reach, and improve the growth of the trees by scratching and manuring as they go along

In small runs or inclosures fowls do not like to scratch. There they stand, moping, dull and inactive, knowing full well that it is of no use to expend force in scratching in the hard soil, fetid with their own excrement, which contaminates every morsel of food given them and in which a worm or bug has not been seen for months, and are thus deprived of the most natural food which they like, and would do them much good, if they had a chance to roam at will and search for these precious morsels at their leisure. Out of doors recreation serves a double purpose; the fowls find much food daily and get enough of pure air and exercise to make them healthy.

VALUE OF WOOD ASHES.—On this point the Southern Live Stock Journal remarks: "If we had to buy in market, in the cheapest form, the manurial elements contained in 100 pounds of ordinary wood ashes, the cost would be $1.16, or about $20 per ton. Even after learching to the very last degree, when every soluble thing has been washed away, the phosphate and carbonate of lime and magnesia remain, and they are worth 34 cents per hundred weight, or $6.80 per ton. Abundant instances are given where common leached ashes applied to soil have come back with double compound interest in better and more abundant crops. A farmer's soil is the most grateful thing he can find. Whatever he puts into it will surely come back every time."

The method by which stumps are removed by petroleum consists in allowing the stump to be completely saturated with petroleum, and then setting them on fire. The method by using saltpeter consists in boring holes in the head of the stump and putting into each one once of saltpeter, and after having it to become wet and penetrate the substance of the stump, the latter is set on fire, when it will be completely consumed.

To let go one's friends is one thing, but to be forced to feel that they have let you go, in an unkind way, and that you cannot think quite as well of them as you used to do, is another and much harder trial.

ODD ITEMS.

Sales have been made of hemlock bark at $10 a cord on the cars in Boston.

Skimmed milk is excellent for young and growing animals.

Soapsuds is a valuable fertilizer for small fruits.

Use a soft sponge in bathing your horses' shoulders.

Butterflies are said to be disappearing from England.

There is land in the city of New York worth $10,000,000 an acre.

Kerosene is solidified in Russia and made into candles.

For the promotion of the milk yield, oat middlings are considered one of the best of rations.

The principle essentials to success in duck and geese raising are plenty of room, water and pasture.

Farmers who have tried it say that a good crop of cabbage can be raised by growing a few tobacco plants among them.

Corn roots run shallow, which accounts for the fact that hilled corn blows down more easily than if level culture is used.

Two slaves, formerly owned by Jeff Davis, now own his plantation, for which they paid $200,000.

An Australian ram was sold in that country for the large sum of $17,000. The wool taken from its fleece was over four inches in length.

The latest device is to paint harness with phosphoric paint so as to render the horses visible at night.

A western man says: "I am not a candidate for any office. I only want to make an honest living." He ought to apply for a bank Presidency.

Mrs. Susan Canfield, of Nashua, N. H., has a mania for collecting buttons of odd patterns. She has 1160 buttons of different kinds on one string.

A Stratford (Conn.) woman dreamed she saw her husband kissing a neighbor's wife. She awoke and struck him in the face, breaking his nose.

B. F. Butler's house in Lawrence is a large plain building with a flag staff on elevated ground, the interior is filled with handsome, substantial furniture.

An Alabama colored woman shot a man for snatching a book from her. A man who would snatch a book away from a poor, ignorant negress ought to be killed.

Railroads occasionally go into the hands of a Receiver, but old maids don't. They can't get any receivers.

The evil that men do lives after them. Some people write poetry that is not published until after their death.

Now that he is married, Oscar Wilde will have to drop knee breeches or be accused of wearing his wife's stockings.

It may seem singular, but it is nevertheless true, that a woman can stand squarely in Pennsylvania and yet be in a new Jersey.

Never do a good deed and then talk about it. The best way is to have the reporter write it up in the newspaper for you.

A clerk in the Massachusetts State Library was so deeply interested in autograhs that he cut the signatures of eminent men from the old documents stored in the archives.

Ann Llewellyn, of Pottsville, has a wooden leg. Her late husband had one. Her oldest son took one to the grave with him. Her other boy and only child is stubbing around on one.

Thousands Hastened to their Graves!

Relying on testimonials written in vivid glowing language of some miraculous cures made by some largely puffed up doctor or patent medicine has hastened thousands to their graves; believing in their almost insane faith that the same miracle will be performed on them, and that these testimonials make the cures, while the so called medicine is all the time hastening them to their graves. We have avoided publishing testimonials, as they do not make the cures, although we have

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS

of them, of the most wonderful cures, voluntarily sent us. It is our medicine, Hop Bitters that makes the cures. It has never failed and never can. We will give reference to any one for any disease similar to their own if desired, or will refer to any neighbor, as there is not a neighborhood in the known world but can show its cures by Hop Bitters.

A LOSING JOKE.

A prominent physician of Pittsburg said to a lady patient who was complaining of her continued ill health, and of his inability to cure her, jokingly said: "Try Hop Bitters!" The lady took it in earnest and used the Bitters from which she obtained permanent health. She now laughs at the doctor for his joke, but he is not so well pleased with it, as it cost him a good patient.

FEES OF DOCTORS.

The fee of doctors is an item that very many persons are interested in. We believe the schedule for visits is $3.00, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and in need of a daily visit, over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness.

A LADY'S WISH.

"Oh, how I do wish my skin was as clear and soft as yours," said a lady to her friend. "You can easily make it so," answered the friend. "How?" inquired the first lady. "By using Hop Bitters that makes pure, rich blood and blooming health. It did for me as you observe."

GIVEN UP BY THE DOCTORS

"Is it possible that Mr. Godfrey is up and at work, and cured by so simple a remedy?"

"I assure you it is true that he is entirely cured, and with nothing but Hop Bitters, and only ten days ago the doctors gave him up and said he must die, from Kidney and Liver trouble!"

AUDITORS REPORT

OF

the Borough of Centralia for the year ending April 14, 1884.

Thomas Gregg, collector, in account with Centralia Borough.

DR.

To amount of duplicate	2279 23	$2279 23

CR.

By amount paid Treasurer	1874 39	
" 5 per cent com. on $1874.39	93 71	
" unseated land returned to com.	53 64	
" amount of exonerations	41 78	
" balance due borough	216 31	
		$2279 23

David Walsh, collector for 1882, in account with Centralia Borough.

DR.

To balance on duplicate for 1882	922 45	$922 45

CR.

By amount paid O B Millard, Treasurer	403 96	
" 5 per cent com. on $403.96	20 20	
" errors and exonerations	20 63	
" balance due borough	477 66	
		$ 922 45

O. B. Millard, Treasurer, in account with Centralia Borough.

DR.

To amount rec'd from T Gregg Col.	1874 39	
To amount rec'd from D Walsh col for '82	403 96	
To amount rec'd from D F Curry on balance due dist. as Treas for '78 and '80	14 00	
To balance due O B Millard	41	
		$2292 76

CR.

By amt. of int. warrants redeemed	702 40	
By amt. of State tax on bonds	47 88	
" " orders redeemed as follows:		
No 237 Feb 1, '77 P E Buck nails &c	3 50	
No 601 Sept 22 '80 Wm Hines labor	5 00	
" 75 Dec 17 '81 Harry Stroud "	94	
" 105 Mar 15 '82 Chas Strausser labor	50	
No 115 Aug 14 '82 Jas Cannon labor	7 15	
No 127 Aug 18 '82 Harry Stroud labor	2 50	
No 133 Aug 18 '82 Wm Hines labor	1 25	
No 144 Aug 18 '82 Jas Gannon labor	2 50	
No 151 Aug 18 '82 Pat'k Durrah labor	3 75	
No 168 Aug 18 '82 Mich Brennan labor	1 25	
No 188 Jan 24 '83 Wm Hines labor	2 50	
No 213 Mar 10 '83 James Calahan labor	2 50	
No 214 Mar 10 '83 James Calahan salary	5 00	
No 217 Mar 30 '83 David Walsh excess cost on judgment	18 66	
No 229, May 10 '83 Wm. Grant labor	1 33	
No 230, May 10 '83 Rich. Grant labor	67	
No 233, May 10 '83 Hungarians labor	9 33	
No 139, May 10 '83 Jno. McAndrew, labor,	4 33	
No 246, May 10 '83 Pat'ck Langon, labor,	67	
No 250, June 14 '83 Wm. Grant, labor,	2 67	
No 252, June 14 '83 Mich. Barrett, labor,	10 00	
No 253, June 14 '83 Mich. Barrett, labor,	10 00	
No 254, June 14 '83 Mich. Barrett, labor,	10 00	
No 256, June, 14 '83, Dul. Calahan, labor,	33 67	
No 268 June 14 '83 Pat'k Langon	8 33	
No 271 June 14 '83 Jas. Grant labor	1 00	
No 272 June 14 '83 Mich Hannon labor	2 67	
No 275 June 14 '83 John Navin labor	14 00	
No 276 June 14 '83 Jno. Clarke labor	3 34	
No 290 June 14 '83 Leddicoat labor	7 15	
No 296 July 14 '83 Jas. Calahan labor	26 67	
" 300 July 14 '83 Mich. Barrett labor	14 67	
" 338 Aug 9 '83 Wm. Grant labor	10 67	
" 345 Aug 9 '83 Wm. Dailey labor	6 67	
" 346 Aug 9 '83 Pat'k Curran labor	4 00	
" 351 Aug 9 '83 L A Riley & Co. plank and work	100 00	
" 357 Sept 20 '83 Pat'k. Lynch labor	1 67	
" 361 Sept 20 '83 Thos. Fern Jr. labor	14 83	
" 385 Dec 14 '83 Thos. Gerraty labor	52 00	
" 2 Feb 18 '81 Barron & Hartman order book	6 00	
" 132 Aug 18 '82 Jno Hanley, hauling	5 00	
" 160 Aug 18 '82 Jas Cannon labor	1 25	
" 173 Nov 11 '82 O B Millard sundries	2 20	
" 174 Nov 11 '82 Jno Hanley labor	19 25	
" 176 Nov 11 '82 Wm. Bryson salary	50 00	
" 187 Jan 24 '83 G W Michaels labor	1 00	
" 195 Jan 24 '83 Henry Constantial labor	7 00	
" 199 Jan 24 '83 Geo Wills labor	8 00	
" 209 Mar 10 '83 W B Hartman stationery	7 00	
" 218 Mar 30 '83 Geo W Davis labor	5 48	
" 221 Apr 12 '83 Wm Krickbaum assignments to treasurer	6 75	
" 222 Apr 12 '83 Jas. Calahan rem. nuisance	3 20	
" 224 May 10 '83 Jas. Calahan labor	9 33	
" 226 May 10 '83 Jos. Hughes labor	4 00	
" 228 May 10 '83 Jno. Han'ey labor	5 00	
" 232 May 10 '83 Thos. Kelley labor	67	
" 234 May 10 '83 Mich. Barrett labor	5 33	
" 236 May 10 '83 Mich. Troyan labor	5 33	
" 238 May 10 '83 B J Dyke labor	2 50	
" 240 May 10 '83 Thos. Gerraty labor	5 00	
" 241 May 10 '83 Jno. McDonald labor	1 33	
" 242 May 10 '83 Jno. Hines labor	1 33	
" 243 May 10 '83 Jno. Dailey labor	67	
" 244 May 10 '83 Mich. O'Connor labor	67	
" 245 May 10 '83 Jno. O'Connor labor	67	
" 248 June 14 '83 Jas. Calahan labor	35 33	
" 255 June 14 '83 Mich. Barrett labor	3 33	
" 267 June 14 '83 Mich. Troyan labor	11 33	
" 257 June 14 '83 Thos. Kelly labor	2 67	
" 263 June 14 '83 Jno. McDonald labor	23 00	
" 264 June 14 '83 Jno. Hines labor	5 33	
" 265 June 14 '83 Jno. Dailey labor	2 67	
" 266 June 14 '83 Mich. O'Connor labor	6 33	
" 267 June 14 '83 Jno. O'Connor labor	5 33	
" 269 June 14 '83 Peter Bradley labor	34 00	
" 270 June 14 '83 Wm Hines labor	5 33	
" 274 June 14 '83 Jno. Bryson labor	8 75	
" 278 June 14 '83 Mich. Bakey labor	23 34	
" 279 June 14 '83 Jno. Dugan labor	7 50	
" 283 June 14 '83 Pat'k McAndrew labor	2 67	
" 284 June 14 '83 Christ. Coddington labor	2 67	
" 285 June 14 '83 Jas. Dalton labor	2 67	
" 286 June 14 '83 B I Curran auditing	9 00	
" 287 June 14 '83 Jas. Barrett auditing	6 00	
" 289 June 14 '83 Geo. H. Cope smithing	1 51	
" 291 June 14 '83 Thos. Leddicoat smithing	4 89	
" 298 July 14 '83 Thos. Gerraty labor	40 00	
" 299 July 14 '83 Mich. Bakey labor	14 67	
" 301 July 14 '83 Kuber Valant labor	9 33	
" 302 July 14 '83 Peter Bradley labor	6 67	
" 303 July 14 '83 D F Curry labor	12 50	
" 304 July 14 '83 Dul. Calahan labor	18 00	
" 306 July 14 '83 Pat'k. Langon labor	4 00	
" 307 July 14 '83 Pat'k. Kelley labor	2 67	
" 307 July 14 '83 Jas. Dal'on labor	2 67	
" 310 July 14 '83 Thos. Kelley labor	1 33	
" 311 July 14 '83 Mich. O'Connor labor	1 33	
" 312 July 14 '83 Jno. O'Connor labor	1 33	
" 313 July 14 '83 Owen Kane labor	1 00	
" 314 July 14 '83 Jno Nicewinter labor	5 00	
" 318 July 14 '83 Pat'k. Lynch labor	26 67	
" 320 June 14 '83 D F Curry labor	23 12	
" 321 June 14 '83 J P W Riley auditing	6 00	
" 321½ July 14 '83 S M Riley map and grades	40 00	
" 323 July 14 '83 Pat'k Lynch labor	20 00	
" 325 Aug 9 '83 Jas. Calahan labor	18 00	
" 326 Aug 9 '83 Jas. McDonnell labor	13 33	
" 327 Aug 9 '83 Mich. Bakey labor	18 00	
" 329 Aug 9 '83 Rich. Moran labor	6 00	
" 331 Aug 9 '83 D F Curry hauling	20 00	
" 332 Aug 9 '83 Thos. Kelley labor	10 67	
" 333 Aug 9 '83 Mich. O'Connor labor	9 33	
" 334 Aug 9 '83 Jno. O'Connor labor	9 33	
" 335 Aug 9 '83 Owen Kane Jr labor	7 50	
" 336 Aug 9 '83 Jno. Spring labor	4 00	
" 337 Aug 9 '83 Dul. Darrah labor	6 67	
" 339 Aug 9 '83 Thos. O'Brien labor	5 33	
" 341 Aug 9 '83 Theo. Evans labor	5 33	
" 342 Aug 9 '83 Rich. Meck labor	1 33	
" 343 Aug 9 '83 Owen Kane labor	2 81	
" 344 Aug 9 '83 Christ. O'Connor labor	75	
" 347 Aug 9 '83 Christ. Ernstberger labor	2 67	
" 348 Aug 9 '83 Thos. Fern labor	6 00	
" 350 Aug 9 '83 Jno. Nurtney labor	2 50	
" 352 Aug 9 '83 L A Riley & Co. plank and work	144 58	
" 354 Aug 9 '83 Andrew Kane labor	3 75	
" 355 Sept 20 '83 Jas. Calahan labor	5 67	
" 356 Sept 20 '84 Jno. McDonald labor	4 33	
" 359 Sept 20 '83 D F Curry labor	2 50	
" 360 Sept 20 '83 Mich. Bakey labor	1 33	
" 362 Sept 20 '83 Theo. Evans labor	5 00	
" 363 Sept 20 '83 Chas. Strausser labor	4 50	
" 365 Sept 20 '83 Jas. Calahan rem. nuisance	2 25	
" 368 Oct 12 '83 Dul. Hughes labor	1 33	
" 369 Oct 12 '83 Owen Kane work and lumber	1 83	
" 371 Oct 12 '83 Thos. Johnson labor	25 52	
" 372 Oct 12 '83 Jno. Conrey labor	4 00	
" 373 Nov 9 '83 D C Black balance on settlement of 1882	7 14	
" 375 Dec 14 '83 D F Curry labor	2 50	
" 379 Dec 14 '83 Robt. Little cost on Crawford—McGuire case	7 20	
" 381 Dec 14 '83 J. T. Millington witness fees and assets	7 50	
" 383 Dec 14 '83 Wm. Peiffer labor	17 25	
" 386 Dec 14 '83 Jas. Colahan labor	9 30	
" 387 Dec 14 '83 " " labor	3 70	
" 223 Apr 12 '83 Jas. Dyke cost as committee to A P Blackeslee	2 00	
" 366 Sept 20 '83 O B Millard subpoenas	30	
" 389 Jan 11 '84 Thos. Leddicoat smithing	9 10	
" 390 Jan 11 '84 " "	5 80	
" 391 Mar 14 '84 A B Fortner nails &c	8 68	
" 392 Mar 14 '84 Jas. Calahan rem. nuisance	4 50	
" 393 Mar 14 '84 Pat'k. Barren labor	4 00	
" 397 Mar 14 '84 Jas. Calahan labor	4 67	
" 398 Thos. Gregg constable	8 80	
" 399 Mar 27 '84 Jas. H. Thomas serving notices	5 20	
" 401 Mar 27 '84 Jno. McDonald labor	3 00	
" 402 Apr 4 '84 D F Curry taking prisoners to Bloom	14 00	
" 405 Apr 4 '84 O B Millard powder &c	55	
By balance due O B Millard on settlement for 1882	4 06	
" 2 per cent commission on $2292 35	45 85	
		$2292 76

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

DR.

To amount of orders outstanding last rep't	1092 79	
" amount of orders issued during year	2463 28	
		$3556 07

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By amt. of orders redeemed	1492 16	
" " " outstanding for 1883	1140 56	
" amt. " " from previous years	923 35	
		$3556 07

LIABILITIES.

Amount of bonded debt	12600 00	
" " coupons outstanding	53 60	
" " orders	2063 91	
Balance due O B Millard	41	
		$14717 92

ASSETS.

Amount due by Jno. Moran treas for '76	30 44	
Amount due by D F Curry treas. for '80	52 22	
Amount due by D Walsh col for '82	477 66	
Amount due by Thos. Gregg col. for '83	216 31	
Liabilities more than assets	13941 29	
		$14717 92

We, the auditors for the Borough of Centralia, have examined the above accounts and find them to be correct as stated.

JAS. BARRETT,
J. P. W. RILEY,
B. I. CURRAN. } Auditors.

(Continued from last week.)

How Watch Cases are Made.

Imitation always follows a successful article, and imitation is one of the best proofs of real honest merit; and thus it is that the *James Boss' Gold Watch Case* has its imitators. Buyers can always tell the genuine by the trade-mark of a *crown*, from which is *suspended* a pair of *scales*. Be sure BOTH *crown* and *scales* are stamped in the cap of the watch case. Jewelers are very cautious about endorsing an article unless they not only *know* that it is good, but that the character of the manufacturers is such that the quality of the goods will be *kept fully up to standard.*

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Feb. 13, 1883.

The James Boss' Gold Watch Cases go like hot cakes. Each one I sell sells another. Don't need to recommend them; they sell themselves. One of my customers has had a James Boss' Gold Watch Case in use for 20 years, and it is as good as ever. With this case I do not hesitate to give my own guarantee, especially with the new and improved cases, which seem to be everlasting. JESSE T. LITTLE, *Jeweler.*

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., Jan. 8, 1883.

This gold case, No. 6666, known as the James Boss' Gold Watch Case, came into my possession about 1858, has been in use since that time, and is still in good condition. The movement is the one which was in the case when I bought it, and its condition shows that the case has really out-worn the movement, which is played out. MARTIN A. HOWELL, *Of Board of Directors N. J. R. R. & Trans. Co.*

Send 3 cent stamp to Keystone Watch Case Factories, Philadelphia, Pa., for handsome Illustrated Pamphlet showing how James Boss' and Keystone Watch Cases are made.

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The Perry Spring Tooth Harrow, the best in the Market.

All kinds and grades of Phosphate by the MARY LAND FERTILIZING and Manf'g., Co.

FREDRICK HAGENBUCH, Agent,

ESPY Columbia Co., Pa.

May 2-2 mos.

A positive Cure for Dandruff, Falling Hair, and all Scalp Diseases

CAPILLARIS

Will give you a luxuriant Head of Hair. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS & PERFUMERS. T. HILL MANSFIELD, Prop., Portland, Maine.

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PORTUGAL GRAPE WINE

Also

UNFERMENTED GRAPE JUICE.

Used in the principal Churches for Communion. Excellent for Females, Weakly Persons and the aged.



EXCELLENT FOR FEMALES AND WEAKLY PERSONS.

Speer's Port Grape Wine!

FOUR YEARS OLD.

THIS CELEBRATED WINE is the pure juice of the dead ripe Oporto Grape, raised in Speer's vineyards. Its invaluable,

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are unsurpassed by any other Wine. Being produced under Mr. Speer's own personal supervision, its purity and genuineness, are guaranteed by the principal Hospitals and Boards of Health who have examined it. The youngest child may partake of it, and the weakest invalid use it to advantage. It is particularly beneficial to the aged and debilitated, and suited to the various ailments that affect the weaker sex.

It is in every respect A WINE TO BE RELIED ON.

Speer's Unfermented Grape Juice

Is the juice of the Oporto Grapes preserved in its natural, fresh, sweet state as it runs from the press by fumigation, thereby destroying the exciter of fermentation. It is perfectly pure, free from spirits and will keep in any climate.

Speer's Burgundy.

Is a dark rich medium Dry Wine used by the wealthy classes as a Table or Dinner Wine, and by physicians in cases where a dry wine instead of a sweet port is desired.

Speer's (Socialite) Claret.

Is held in high estimation for its richness as a Dry Table Wine especially suited for dinner use.

Speer's P. J. Sherry.

Is a wine of Superior Character and partakes of the rich qualities of the grape from which it is made.

Speer's P. J. Brandy.

IS A PURE distillation from the grape, and stands unrivalled in this Country for medicinal purposes.

It has a peculiar flavor, similar to that of the grapes from which it is distilled,

See that the signature of ALFRED SPEER, Passaic N. J., is over the cork of each bottle.

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Sep. 28-'83 1yr.

GOLD for the working class. Send 10 cents for postage, and we will mail you *free*, a royal valuable box of sample goods that will put you in the way of making more money in a few days than you ever thought possible at any business. Capital not required. We will start you. You can work all the time or in spare time only. The work is universally adapted to both sexes, young and old. You can easily earn from 50 cents to $5 every evening. That all who want may test the business, we make this unparalleled offer; to all that are not well satisfied we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing us. Full particulars, directions, etc., sent free. Fortunes will be made by those who give their whole time to the work. Great success absolutely sure. Don't delay. Start now. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine. Dec 21-1

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Send for circular, stating what paper you saw this in. PROF. HENRY MILLS, Mrs. ALICE FRENCH MILLS,

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Sept. 7 '83-1y.

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Sole Agents in America for the celebrated

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Universally conceded to be the best high-grade Watch in existence.

A splendid assortment in all the varieties of Chronographs, Calendars, Repeaters and Plain Timers.

Purchasers contemplating the selection of a fine Watch, should investigate the merits of this superb Timekeeper.

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9th St. south of Chestnut, one square south of the New Post Office, one half square from Walnut St. Theatre and in the very business centre of the city. On the American and European plans. Good rooms from 50c to $2.00 per day. Remodelled and newly furnished.

W. Payne, M. D.,

nov 30-1 y Owner & Proprietor.

Wanted Canvassers in every county in this State to take orders for Nursery stock. *Steady and desirable employment* at GOOD WAGES. Experience in the business not required. Nurseries widely and favorably known. For terms address

The C. L. Van Dusen Nursery Co.,

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Van Dusen Nurseries established 1839. Also stock at wholesale.

April 4-13t e o w

COLEMAN Business COLLEGE, NEWARK, N. J.

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June 13-4w

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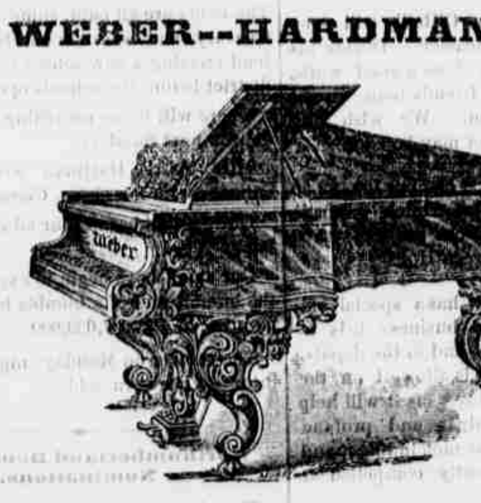
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FINE INLAID FRENCH WALNUT CASE ORGAN, 9 STOPS, $90 CASH.

Easy Terms. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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June1

GRAND WORD CONTEST! SECOND SERIES

ENTERTAINING AND INSTRUCTIVE PASTIME. LARGELY INCREASED NUMBERS OF MAGNIFICENT AND COSTLY PREMIUMS GIVEN.

Owing to the great success of our former Word Contest, which expired May 1st, and the many requests of persons who saw our offer too late to compete, we concluded to offer the following magnificent presents to the persons making out the largest lists of words from the letters comprising the words:

"USE DAY'S SOAP ONLY."

1st. Solid Gold Watch	Worth $100	8th. Fruit Stand, Bisk, Blue or Amber Glass	Worth $17
2d. Magnificent Tea Set and Salver	100	9th. Tete-a-Tete Set, Spoons, Red or Amber	12
3rd. Diamond Ear-rings	75	10th. Bell Caster, [illegible]	10
4th. Lady's Gold Watch	50	11th. Ice Pitcher, [illegible] Double Walled	10
5th. Gent's Diamond Scarf Pin	32	12th. Cake Stand, Chased and Gold Lined	7
6th. Elegant Tilting Ice Water Set, Goblet & Cup	22	13th. Fruit Stand, Bisk Crystal Cut Glass	7
7th. Toilet Stand, with Satin Lined Jewel Drawer	21		

100 BOXES DAY'S SOAP to be distributed among remaining highest competitors. SPECIAL PREMIUM OF $20

For the neatest list with fewest errors, provided the list has half the number of words of the highest competitor.

CONDITIONS.

First. All lists must be fully prepaid and accompanied by two cent stamp for return postage, a statement that you are using DAY'S SOAP in your family, name and address of grocer from whom you buy it, number of words in list and your name and address, all to be written on one sheet of paper, separate from list.

Second. Words must be written plainly, numbered, and alphabetically arranged. The biographical names, names of fiction, Scripture proper names, modern geographical names, and Christian names, must be classified separately.

Third. Only words found in Webster's or Worcester's dictionary admitted; this will include any word from the first to the last with the exceptions of prefixes and suffixes as separate words and obsolete words; words of same spelling, but different meanings, to be used but once.

Fourth. Plurals of all words admitted except biographical names, names of fiction, Scripture proper names, modern geographical names, and Christian names, but apostrophes denoting possessive case or otherwise not admitted.

Fifth. No words counted unless the letters comprising them are contained in "USE DAY'S SOAP ONLY," that is, any word having over [illegible] will be thrown out.

Sixth. All lists must be in by December 1st, and the Premiums will be awarded Dec. 10th.

Seventh. Premiums will be given in rotation according to the largest lists of words.

Eighth. Lists must not be sent in rolls, but put in envelopes.

Ninth. Mail or send lists to our New York Office, [illegible] Street, or our Philadelphia Office, 1760 Howard Street.

The DAY'S SOAP has been largely sold by Wholesale and Retail Grocers throughout the United States for five years, and wherever its merits are known it enjoys unbounded popularity. Notwithstanding these facts we have received many hundred letters from persons in our former contest, complaining that their grocer did not keep DAY'S soap, and in many instances refused flatly to supply their customers with it; not only standing in their own light, but doing us great injustice. It is to be hoped, and it is also our desire, that contestants will use every effort to have their grocers supply them, but in case they will not, we will, on receipt of $1.00, forward to any part of the United States, east of Mississippi River, express prepaid, 10 cakes, including three of our Beautifully Embossed Picture Cards.

The DAY'S SOAP is the purest and best soap made. By its use you have no Boiling, Scalding, or Hard Rubbing. It saves labor, fuel, and clothes. We will forfeit $500 if the DAY'S SOAP does not do all we claim for it if used as the directions are given on the wrapper. Beautifully Embossed Picture Cards of many different designs given. Manufactured by

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The travelling public and visitors to Berwick are respectfully informed that the undersigned has taken the above old established licensed house, which he has recently fitted up in first class style and he offers accommodations equal to any.

The bar is supplied with the choicest ales, wines, liquors and cigars.

Good Stabling Accommodations.

May 9 3m

The most popular resort on the Susquehanna River is the Wapwallopen Valley Hotel, Wapwallopen, Luzerne Co., Pa.

G. W. MAUGER, Proprietor.

This house has been thoroughly renovated and is fitted up with every convenience for travelers, tourists, hunting and fishing parties. It is delightfully situated in the midst of a beautiful section of river and mountain scenery in close proximity to the famous

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and special inducements are offered to all who desire recreation combined with first class accommodations. The bar supplied only with the choicest wines and liquors, excellent stable accommodations, boats to hire &c.

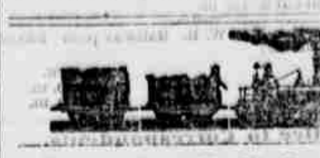
NO EXTORTIONATE RATE.

April 25-6m

A PRIZE. Send six cents for postage, and receive free, a costly box of goods which will help you to more money right away than anything else in this world. All, of either sex, succeed from first hour. The broad road to fortune opens before the workers absolutely sure. At once address, TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Dec 21-1y



RAILROAD TIME TABLE.



Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division, and Northern Central Railway.

TIME TABLE.

In effect May 12th, 1884. Trains leave Sunbury.

EASTWARD.

9.45 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.20 p. m.; Baltimore, 3.10 p. m.; Washington, 6.20 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

2.00 p. m.—Day express (daily), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 7.25 p. m.; New York, 10.20 p. m.; Baltimore, 7.30 p. m.; Washington, 8.45 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.20 p. m.—Williamsport Accommodation (daily) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3 05 a. m.; New York 6.10 a. m. Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run; on this train from Williamsp't to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

2.30 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 7.50 a. m. New York, 11.20 a. m.; Baltimore 7.40 a. m.; Washington, 8.50 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.15 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie, and through Pullman Palace cars to Buffalo via Emporium. On Sundays this train runs to Renovo, with Pullman Palace car to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Renovo.

For Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, (daily except Sundays) with through Pullman Palace car and passenger coaches to Rochester.

10.15—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations. On Sundays this train runs only to Williamsport.

1.10 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Kane. For Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Rochester and Parlor car to Watkins.

5.25 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m.; Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 10.15.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1.10 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 8.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.10 a. m.; Washington, 9.40 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.50 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 5.20 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.20 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.20 p. m., (daily) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m., with through Pullman Sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia. Sleeper from Washington runs daily except Sunday.

SUNBURY, HAZLETON & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday.)

Wilkesbarre Mail leaves Sunbury 10.30 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 11.27 a. m., Wilkes-barre 12.55 p. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.30 p. m., Wilkes-barre 8.05 p. m.

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.30 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12.01 p. m., Sunbury 12.55 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 2.45 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.15 p. m., Sunbury 5.10 p. m.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Passenger Agent.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

May 10 1884

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED).

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11, 0 a. m.

For Catawissa, 11, 0 a. m. 6.15 and 10.28 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6.23 11.45 a. m. and 4.06 p. m.

For Lewisburg and Sunbury, 4.06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS: (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York via. Tamaqua 9.00 a. m. and via. Bound Brook Route 7.45 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9.50 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11.55 a. m., Pottsville, 12.30 p. m and Tamaqua, 1.35 p. m.

Leave Catawissa, 6.20 11.15 a. m. and 4.00 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9.45 a. m. 4.05 p. m. and 6.10 p. m

Leave Sunbury 4.19 p. m.

" Lewisburg 4.43 p. m.

Passengers to and from Philadelphia go through without change of cars.

J. E. WOOTTEN, General Manager

C. G. HANCOCK, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Jan. 10, 1881—tf.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	a.m.	p.m
9 00	1 30	9 55	Scranton	5 50	9 40	2 30
8 54	1 25	9 19	Bellevue	5 55	9 45	2 35
8 48	1 20	9 14	Taylorville	6 08	9 50	2 30
8 40	1 13	9 06	Lackawanna	6 09	9 57	2 38
8 33	1 05	8 59	Pittston	6 17	10 04	2 46
8 27	1 00	8 53	West Pittston	6 23	10 09	2 51
8 22	12 55	8 48	Wyoming	6 28	10 14	2 56
8 17	12 51	8 43	Maltby	6 32	10 17	3 00
8 12	12 48	8 39	Bennett	6 36	10 20	3 03
8 08	12 44	8 35	Kingston	6 40	10 25	3 06
8 08	12 44	8 35	Kingston	6 48	10 25	3 06
8 03	12 39	8 30	Plymouth June	6 50	10 29	3 11
7 59	12 35	8 25	Plymouth	6 55	10 33	3 15
7 54	12 30	8 21	Avondale	7 00	10 37	3 20
7 50	12 26	8 17	Nanticoke	7 05	10 41	3 24
7 43	12 19	8 10	Hunlock's Creek	7 12	10 48	3 32
7 30	12 08	7 58	Shickshinny	7 24	10 19	3 45
7 18	11 56	7 47	Hick's Ferry	7 47	11 10	3 57
7 11	11 50	7 41	Beach Haven	7 58	11 16	4 03
7 05	11 43	7 34	Berwick	8 00	11 22	4 10
6 58	11 36	7 27	Briar Creek	8 06	11 35	4 16
6 54	11 33	7 23	Willow Grove	8 10	11 39	4 19
6 50	11 30	7 19	Lime Ridge	8 14	11 42	4 23
6 42	11 23	7 11	Espy	8 21	11 48	4 30
6 36	11 17	7 05	Bloomsburg	8 28	11 53	4 36
6 30	11 12	7 00	Rupert	8 34	11 57	4 42
6 25	11 08	6 54	Catawissa Bridge	8 39	12 02	4 47
6 08	10 53	6 37	Danville	8 55	12 20	5 00
6 00	10 47	6 29	Chulasky	9 02	12 28	5 12
5 55	10 43	6 25	Cameron	9 05	12 32	5 16
5 40	10 30	6 10	Northumberland	9 20	12 50	5 30
p m.	a.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m

W. F. HALSTEAD, Supt.

Superintendent's office, Scranton, Feb. 1st, 1882.

JAMES REILLY,

Tonsorial Artist,

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